

COURT OF
OYER
AND
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DOCKET
SEPT. 1794
TO
JUNE 1807

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September Term 1794.

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer held at Philadelphia September 15th Anna Somini One thousand seven hundred and ninety four -

Present

Honble James Biddle Esquire President

William Robinson Junior

Joseph Redman — " —

Reynold Keen — " — } Esquires Judges &c
and Justices &c

Sp. 18th
Docket
Sept 1794
Term 1807

The Sheriff namely William Will Esquire returns a certain Precept directed to him from the President of &c the Justices Judges &c dated the third day of September instant, and thereupon the following Persons appear, who were duly returned by the said Sheriff and sworn and affirmed to execute the Office of a Grand Inquest for the Body of the City and County of Philadelphia in this Court of Oyer & Terminer viz

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| 1. John Holmes sworn | 9. Alexander Martin Sw. |
| 2. Edward Suffield sworn | 10. Jacob Suffield Sw. |
| 3. Caspar Schneider Sw. | 11. Worsely Ames Sw. |
| 4. Adam Handle Sw. | 12. John Hall Sw. |
| 5. Thomas Holmes Sw. | 13. Robert Ferree Sw. |
| 6. George Weed Sw. | 14. James Paul affirmed |
| 7. John Keen Sw. | 15. Chalkley James aff- |
| 8. Silas Engle Sw. | |

And now the Inquest aforesaid upon their Oath and Affirmation respectively being called, impannelled sworn and affirmed as aforesaid, on this sixteenth day of September present these Bills of Indictment

Res publica — { Manslaughter in killing Charles Beacy &
Matthew Dougherty } Second Count for Misdemeanour in assaulting
and beating &c

A true Bill

The Defendant appears and is arraigned &c and by his Attorney Charles Healty Esquire pleads Non Cul: & de hoc &c Attorney General Similitur &c
And hereupon the Sheriff William Will Esquire afo-

Said

said returns a certain Jury to try this Issue of Traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Defendant, namely Abraham Painter David Ross, Peter Dick, John Painter, William Edwards, John Shannon, Samuel Jodon, Oliver Ray, William Workman and Nicholas Pickle who on their Oath, and James Ferguson and Samuel Hampton who upon their solemn Affirmation, being severally and respectively impannelled tried and elected on their solemn Oath and Affirmations respectively say, the Defendant is Not Guilty of the Manslaughter where of he is now indicted, but Guilty of the Misdemeanour contained in the second Count of the Indictment - Whereupon it is Ordered by the Court here that the said Matthew Dougherty pay a Fine to the Commonwealth of Five Shillings for the use of the said Commonwealth, that he pay the Costs and Charges of this Prosecution, and remain in Custody, and committed until this Sentence and Judgment is completed and fulfilled.

Respublica — } Maihem & Assault & Battery
Joseph Langcake and } on Jonathan Carmalt —
John Hook — } A true Bill.

Defendants being arraigned plead Non Cul. et de hoc
Attorney General similiter & ideo.

Conrad Baker of the Northern Liberties Farmer tent. in
five hundred Pounds for the Appearance of Defendant
Joseph Langcake —

John Hook tent. in five hundred Pounds to appear here
to answer the Bill of Indictment.

September 17. 1794 Certiorari read and allowed.

September Term 1795.

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer held at Philadelphia for the City and County of Philadelphia the twenty second day of September in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and ninety five - Present

Honble James Biddle Esquire,
President

Joseph Redman } Esquires Judges &
Isaac Howell } and Justices &
Reynold Keen }

Commonwealth

John Bergenhoff and
George Wert

Rape on Elizabeth Bemper -

True Bill as to John Bergenhoff
and Ignoramus as to George Wert

The Prisoner John Bergenhoff being arraigned pleads
Non Cul. et de hoc & Attorney General finititer & ideo.

Testes

Resp:

Elizabeth Bemper dnr.

Elias Boyer dnr.

Christa Bember dnr.

Wm Coxe aff

Deft

Dan Bowman aff

Wm Bowman aff

Rudolph Reijnders

Chas Collins

Barbara Coe

And hereupon the Sheriff namely John Baker Esquire returns a certain Jury to try this Issue of Traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Prisoner, namely Joseph Server, Christopher Ottinger, George Miller, Samuel Cummings, Thomas Waterman Barney Shugart, Andrew Shuster, William Brunner, Joseph Mansfield, Arthur Werner, George Dwyer, Jacob Burrell who on their Oaths and Affirmations say that the Defendant is Guilty of the Felony and Rape in manner and form of which he is indicted -

Whereupon it is adjudged by this Court, that the said John Bergenhoff be confined at hard Labor in the Common Gaol of Philadelphia County for the space of ten years, to be fed, cloathed and provided for pursuant to the late Act of Assembly; that he pay the costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this sentence and Judgment in all things is complied with -

The Commonwealth } *Indictment*
 Peter Jefferys — } Murder of Boston a Black Man
 True Bill

Same — }
 James Leak — } Murder of Boston a Black Man
 True Bill

The Defendants being arraigned, plead Non Cul et de hoc &c
 Attorney General similiter & ideo.

And hereupon the Sheriff namely John Baker Esquire re-
 turn a certain Jury of the Country to try the Issues of Traverse joined
 between the Commonwealth and the Defendants vizt William Bender
 Samuel Achmead, William Sommadson, Patrick Lafferty, Valentine
 Ware, Leonard Hacker, Charles Colliday, Andrews Huyster, James
 Lees, Adam Warner, Frederick Ace and Lewis Bender who upon
 their solemn Oath and Affirmations, being severally and respectively,
 impannelled tried and elected, say that the Defendant Peter Jefferys
 is Guilty of involuntary Manslaughter in manner and form &c
 and that James Leak is not Guilty -

Whereupon it is adjudged by the Court here that the
 said Peter Jefferys pay a Fine to the Commonwealth of twenty pounds
 that he pay the Costs of this Prosecution, and stand Committed until
 this Sentence and Judgment in all things is complied with.

The Commonwealth } *Indictment*
 John Billings, } Felony - Highway Robbery upon
 John Davis and } John Ferriday
 Alexander Gardner } True Bill

The Defendants being arraigned plead Non Cul
 et de hoc &c Attorney General similiter & ideo.

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And hereupon the Sheriff namely John Baker Esquire
return a certain Jury of the County to try the Issue of Traverse joined
between the Commonwealth and the Defendants viz^t

who upon their solemn Oath and Affirmations, being severally and
respectively impannelled tried and elected do say, that the Defendants
are Guilty of the Felony in manner and form as they stand indicted -
Whereupon It is adjudged by the Court here, that the said John
Billings, John Davis and Alexander Gardner be severally confined at
hard Labor in the Common Gaol of the County of Philadelphia, each
for the space of ten years, to be fed clothed and provided for pursuant
to the late Act of Assembly, that they pay the Costs of this Prosecution
and severally stand committed, until this Sentence and Judgment in all
things is complied with.

The Commonwealth } Assault and Battery with
v } intent to murder -
Michael Dougherty }
A True Bill

The Defendant being arraigned pleads Non Cul:
et de hoc ponit se sup^o patriam - Attorney Gen^l Similiter &c

And hereupon the Sheriff namely John Baker Esquire returns a
certain Jury of the County to try the Issue of Traverse joined between the
Commonwealth and the Defendant viz^t Daniel Vanderslice, Barney
Shugart, Martin Caspar, David Hoffman, James Wallace, James
McCunnell, John Larson, Morris Moiriman, Jacob Harman, John
Hunter, John Mc Masters and Frederick Warner, who upon their
solemn Oath and Affirmations being severally and respectively impannelled
tried and elected do say, that the Defendant is Guilty of the Assault
and Battery in manner and form as he stands indicted - It ap-
pearing however to the Court that the Defendant was subject to Fits
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of Insanity - It is thereupon adjudged by the Court here, that the said Michael Dougherty pay a Fine of One Shilling to the Commonwealth, that he give Security to ~~keep~~ keep the peace and be of good Behaviour, himself in the Sum of One hundred Pounds and two Sureties in fifty pounds each, for three years, that he pay the Costs of this Prosecution and stand committed until this Sentence and Judgment in all things is complied with -

The Commonwealth } Burglary - A True Bill
John Wonderly }

The Defendant being arraigned, pleads *Non Cul: et de hoc ponit se sup Patram Attorney General similiter et ideo -*

And hereupon the Sheriff namely John Baker Esquire returns a certain Jury of the Country to try the Issue of traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Defendant viz^t, Leonard Hocker, William Bender, Joseph Servan, Jacob Winnemore, Matthew Lettinger, Charles Ottinger, William Clare, James Mc Connell, Frederick Warner, Jacob Rapp, Thomas Foxe and William Edwards, who upon their solemn Oath and Affirmations, being severally and respectively impannelled tried and elected say that the Defendant is Not Guilty of the Burglary whereof he is indicted.

The Commonwealth } Keeping a Pharaoh Table
Eleazer Cohen and } Ignoramus.
Nathan Bennett - }

The Commonwealth } Misdemeanour - True Bill
James Eggleston - }

March Term 1796.

The Commonwealth } Burglary & Felony
 Matthew Reardon } A True Bill
 Defendant being arraigned pleads
 Guilty.

Whereupon it is adjudged by the Court here that the said Matthew Reardon forfeit all his Lands and Tenements to the Use of the Commonwealth That he make restitution of the Goods and Chattels so stolen or pay the Value thereof, that he be confined at hard Labor in the Common Gaol of the County of Philadelphia for the Space of seven years, to be computed from the seventh day of March One thousand seven hundred and ninety nine, and to be fed clothed and provided for pursuant to the late Act of General Assembly - That he pay the Costs of Prosecution, and stand committed until this Sentence and Judgment in all things is complied with.

The Commonwealth } Felony and Murder - True Bill
 Hugh Bayne } Defendant being arraigned pleads Non Cul.
 et de hoc poñit se sub iuramentum - Attorney General similiter

And hereupon the Sheriff namely John Baker Esquire returns a certain Jury of the County to try the Issue of Traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Defendant viz Daniel Guirey, John Barres, James Mc Glatheery, John Boyd, Joseph English, Thomas Brown, John Walters Jonathan Roberts, John McKenzie, William Bender, John Moore and Joseph Wild who upon their solemn Oath and Affirmation being severally and respectively impannelled tried and elected do say that the said Hugh Bayne is Guilty of involuntary Manslaughter in manner and form as he stands indicted - Whereupon it is adjudged that he pay a fine of Fifty pounds to the Use of the State, that he be imprisoned for two years in the Common Prison of Philadelphia County that he give Security himself in one hundred pounds and two Sureties each in fifty pounds to keep the peace for seven years and be of good Behaviour, that he pay the Costs of this Prosecution and stand committed until this Sentence and Judgment in all things is complied with.

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The Commonwealth Assault with Intent to
Adam Vass ^{rob and murder-}
Ignoramus.

January Sessions. 1798

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery held at Philadelphia for the City and County of Philadelphia the eighth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight and continued by adjournment untill the twelfth ^{day} of the said Month before the Judges of this Court of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia who by virtue of their Offices are Justices of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal delivery for the Trial of Capital and other Offenders therein

Present

John D. Coxe Esquire President

Reynold Hun

Jonathan Williams

Jonathan Bayard Smith

Esquires Judges &c

& and Justices &c

his associates

The Sheriff vizt Jonathan Penrose Esquire returned the Precept to him directed from the President &c and Justices &c and the following persons were sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors - viz -

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| 1. Joseph Cowperthwait Foreman | 11. Jacob L. Dwyler | s |
| 2. John B. Gilpin | 12. Alexander Todd | s |
| 3. William Lardner | 13. James King | s |
| 4. Samuel Howell | 14. Godfrey Haza | a |
| 5. Edward Duffield | 15. Hugh Roberts | a |
| 6. Joseph Burd | 16. Stephen Beasley | s |
| 7. Alexander Martin | 17. Eugene H. Wharton | a |
| 8. Philip Wager | 18. William Jones | a |
| 9. James Ash | 19. Abraham Bickley | s |
| 10. Samuel Brewster | | s |

Defaulters.

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| 1. Joshua Humphreys exc. | 4. John Grover. |
| 2. George Egert | 5. Jacob Baker. |
| 3. Jacob Sommer | |

Traverse Jurors

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| 1. Thomas Mitchell | 23. Samuel Brewster |
| 2. John Moore | 24. William Gille |
| 3. Joseph Wilde | 25. Thomas Cash |
| 4. John Souder | 26. Jacob Gardner |
| 5. Jacob Vansiver | 27. Philip Heyl |
| 6. Frederick Fogel | 28. Daniel Groves |
| 7. Henry Koffner | 29. Elisha Thomas |
| 8. John Stock | 30. John Kessler |
| 9. Nicholas Esling | 31. Michael Ash |
| 10. Henry Myers | 32. John Barris |
| 11. Samuel Crispin | 33. Jacob Colliday |
| 12. George Austin | 34. Thomas Brown |
| 13. Leonard Hocker | 35. Abel Wiley |
| 14. John Cope | 36. William Hallowell |
| 15. Thomas Millard | 37. John Rich |
| 16. Andrew Thatcher | 38. George Roberts |
| 17. Jacob Biderman | 39. Curtis Heath |
| 18. John Rice | 40. Jacob Walter |
| 19. Jacob Hill | 41. Samuel Carpenter |
| 20. Christian Fauns | 42. Peter Kurtz |
| 21. Marks Cramps | 43. Anthony Wochler |
| 22. Conrad Baker | 44. Michael Sherman |
| | 45. Henry Gullman |

Defaulters

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| 1. Jesse Groves | 6. Francis Douglass |
| 2. Joshua Smith | 7. Robert Stiles |
| 3. Samuel Clothier | 8. Thomas Brown |
| 4. William Brown | 9. Adam Keller |
| 5. Abia Brown | 10. John Clapp |
| | 11. Henry Spang |

And now the grand Inquest aforesaid upon their Oaths and affirmations respectively being called and impanelled this eight day of January in the year aforesaid present the following Bills of Indictments viz

Respublica
v
Negro Ireland } Manslaughter in killing John Thomas
Defendant being arraigned pleads
Not guilty et do hoc ponit se super Patriam
Attorney Gen^r similiter id eo &c

Witnesses

f. Resp^a John Best sw.
Cato Robinson sw.

p. Def^t David Hazard sw.

And thereupon the Sheriff viz Jonathan Penrose Esq^r returns a certain Jury of the County to try the Issue of Traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Prisoner viz

1. Thomas Mitchell	a	7. Philip Hoyle	s
2. John Moore	s	8. Henry Coffner	s
3. John Stock	s	9. Peter Hurty	s
4. Samuel Crispin	a	10. William Hollowell	a
5. Jacob Vansever	s	11. John Barrijs	s
6. Henry Myers	s	12. Nicholas Esling	s

Who on their Oaths and Affirmations respectively do say that the said Negro Ireland is guilty of Involuntary & Manslaughter in Manner and Form as he stands indicted and Not guilty of Voluntary Manslaughter.

Whereupon it is adjudged by the Court that the said Negro Ireland pay a fine of twenty five pounds to the Commonwealth, find security in the Sum of fifty pounds by one sufficient Surety to keep the Peace to all the Citizens of the Commonwealth for the Term of two years from this date viz the tenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight pay the costs of Prosecution and be committed until this Judgement in all things is complied with

Respublica

v

Charles McManamy

Witnesses Robert Parks sw.

p. Resp^a William Rush sw.

James Collins sw.

Joseph Feinaver sw.

William Reed sw.

Margaret Reed sw.

Burglary and Felony. House of
William Reed. Defendant ^{being arraigned} by Thomas
Armstrong Esquire his Attorney ^{being arraigned}
pleads not guilty ^{et do hoc} ponit se super Patriam
Attorney Gen^r similiter ~~id eo~~ id eo &c

Witnesses
 p. Def^t Patrick O'Hanamy Sw.
 Sam^l. Carpenter Sw.
 John Daniel Sw.
 John Flannery Sw.
 Wm. Gallen Sw.
 Rob^t Williams Sw.
 John Barclay Sw.
 Wm. Robinson Esquire Sw.

And thereupon the Sheriff viz. Jonathan Penrose Esquire returns a certain Jury of this County to try this Issue of Traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Prisoner viz

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| 1. Henry Myers | s | 7. John Kirk | a |
| 2. Elisha Thomas | a | 8. Jacob Colliday | s |
| 3. Samuel Carpenter | s | 9. John Kester | s |
| 4. Joseph Wilde | a | 10. Jacob Will | s |
| 5. Frederick Fogel | s | 11. Thomas Cash | s |
| 6. Henry Hoffer | s | 12. Nicholas Estling | s |

Who on their Oaths and Affirmations respectively do say that the said Charles McManamy is not guilty of the Felony and Burglary and that he did not fly for it.

Respublica

vs.

Michael Foley

Witnesses

p. Rehu^t

John Hart s
 John Edleman s
 Mary Henderson s
 Margaret Dindale s

Burglary and Felony. House of John Hart stealing of the Goods and Chattels of the said John Hart to the Value of four hundred & forty two dollars —

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not guilty et de hoc proit se super Patriam Attorney Gen. sim. ideo &

And thereupon the Sheriff viz. Jonathan Penrose Esquire returns a certain Jury of the Country to try this issue of Traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Prisoner viz

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| 1. Henry Dullman | s | 7. John Moore | s |
| 2. Adam Keller | s | 8. John Rice | a |
| 3. John Stock | s | 9. William Hollowell | a |
| 4. Jacob Will | s | 10. Samuel Carpenter | a |
| 5. Frederick Fogell | s | 11. John Kirk | s |
| 6. George Roberts | a | 12. Christian Fawns | s |

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Who on their Oaths and affirmations respectively do say that the said Michael Foley is Guilty of the Felony and Burglary in manner and form as he stands indicted and that he had no goods or Chattels Lands or Tenements at the time of the Felony and Burglary committed or at any time since -

And thereupon The Court adjudges that the said Michael Foley restore the property Stolen if not already restored or pay the full value thereof to John Hunt the right owner that he shall undergo a servitude for the term of three and an half years from this day viz the eleventh day of January one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight that he be confined and kept at hard Labour fed and clothed as the law directs pay the costs of Prosecution and be committed untill this Judgement is in all things complied with -

Respublica

vs
Job Wright

} Forgery, first Count in the Indictment
for forging a Bank Note purporting to be
a Note of the Bank of the United States
2 Count for publishing said Note knowing
it to be forged -

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not guilty
et de hoc posuit se super patriam atty. Gen. sim.

And thereupon, The Sheriff viz Jonathan Penrose Esquire returns a certain Jury of the Country to try this Issue of traverse joined between the Commonwealth and the Prisoner viz

Witnesses	1. Philip Heyl	s	7. Jacob Walter	s
Mr. David Kennedy	2. Jacob Colliday	s	8. John Hepler	s
Robt Pfen	3. Michael Ash	s	9. Martin Gramps	s
Benj. M. Horn	4. Henry Meyer	s	10. Joseph Wild	a
John Backus	5. Thomas Cash	s	11. Philip Gaumer	s
Elzel Bastley	6. Daniel Groves	s	12. Peter Lutz	s

Who on their oaths and affirmations respectively do say that the said Job Wright is Not guilty of the Forgery but guilty of the publishing &c contained on the second Count of the Indictment -

And thereupon the Court adjudge that the said Job Wrisnt shall undergo a confinement and Servitude for the term of ten years from this day to wit the eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight and that he be confined and kept at hard Labour fed & clothed as the Law directs that he pay a fine of One thousand dollars to the Commonwealth, pay the costs of Prosecution and be committed untill this Judgement is in all things complied with.

Respublica
 vs.
 Leland Grimes

} Burglary and Felony Dwelling
 } House of Jacob Shoemaker and stealing
 } twelve dollars and fifty cents of the
 } Goods and Chattels of the said Jacob
 } Shoemaker - Defendant being arraigned
 } pleads guilty -

Whereupon it is adjudged by the Court that the said Leland Grimes restore the property Stolen if not already restored or pay the full Value thereof to Jacob Shoemaker the right owner, that he shall undergo a Servitude for the term of two years and an half, viz. ^{from this day} the ninth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight and that he be confined, kept to hard Labour fed and clothed as the law directs, pay the costs of Prosecution and be committed untill this Judgement is in all things complied with

Respublica
 vs.
 Frederick Ryan

} Assault on Sevilla Ryan with an Intent
 } for the said Sevilla feloniously to kill and murder

Defendant being arraigned pleads Guilty

Testes.
 Sevilla Ryan sw.
 Elizabeth Glavin sw.
 John Frederick Vennitz sw.

And thereupon it is adjudged by the Court that the said Frederick Ryan pay a fine of twenty five pounds to the Commonwealth find security himself in fifty Pounds and one Surety in other fifty Pounds to keep the Peace and be of good Behaviour to all the Citizens of this Commonwealth and to Sevilla Ryan in particular for a twelve Month from this day, viz. the ninth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight pay the Costs of prosecution and stand committed untill this Judgement in all things is complied with

Respublica
vs
Negro Ireland } Murder of John Thomas
(alias Casheo) a Negro man
Ignoramus.

Respublica
vs
John Fitzgerald } Murder of Michael Fitzgerald
Ignoramus.

Respublica
vs
John Pennington } Robbery of John Scott on the High Way
Ignoramus.

Andrew Nisman not appearing to give Evidence in the Case of the Commonwealth against John A. Hearn committed on a Charge of Robbery on the High Way forfeited his recognizance -

John Martin not appearing to give Evidence in the Case of the Commonwealth against John A. Hearn committed on a Charge of Robbery on the High Way forfeited 40 £. Recognizance ca: Clerk of the quarter Sessions Philadelphia County in open Court March 20th 1797

John A. Hearn committed on a charge of High Way Robbery ~~John A. Hearn~~, discharged by the Attorney General

John Fitzgerald discharged from his Recognizance by the Attorney General

On hearing the Deposition of Michael Foley charging William Lincen with a Burglary, said to have been committed at the House of John Hart and on motion of William Sergeant Esquire on Behalf of the Attorney General the Court award a Capias ad respondendum returnable instant against the said William Lincen which the Sheriff non returns Capi Corpus and the said William Lincen is committed by order of the Court to the common Prison of the City and County ^{of Philadelphia} untill legally discharged to answer for the said Offence at the next Court of Oyer and Terminer to be held in the County of Philadelphia -

John Pennington } Committed by Hilary Baker Esquire
 William Mawin } Mayor of the City on a Charge of having wound
 William Edwards } ed and robbed Benjamin Tott on the High
 Way are discharged by Order of the Court

William Linncon } discharged by Order of the Court

James Kilner } Committed by Hilary Baker Esquire on a
 Laurence Orteil } Charge of Burglary. ^{to the Court} It appearing that the
 said James Kilner & Laurence Orteil are
 dangerous and suspicious Characters it is or-
 dered by the Court that they each give Security
 in the Sum of 50£ and each one Surety in the
 Sum of 50£ to keep the Peace and be of good
 Behaviour to all the Citizens of the Commonwealth
 for the Term of One year from this day viz January
 the twelfth in the Year of our Lord one thousand
 seven hundred & ninety eight

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General
Goats Delivery held at the State House in the City of Philadel-
phia in and for the City and County of Philadelphia on Monday
the Eighteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thou-
sand seven hundred and sixty nine

Before

The Hon. John D. Cox Esquire

President of the Courts of Common Pleas of the first
district composed of the City and County of Philadelphia and
the Counties of Bucks, Montgomery and Delaware; and
Thynold Keen, William Robinson the Younger and Jonathan
Bayard Smith Esquires, Judges of the Court of Common Pleas
in and for the City and County of Philadelphia who by virtue
of their Offices are Judges of Oyer and Terminer and General
Goats Delivery for the trial of Capital and other Offences com-
mitted within the said County of Philadelphia

The Sheriff to wit Jonathan Turner Esquire
returns the Shropt whom directed and the following Persons were
sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors viz.

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| 1. Joseph Congerthwaite | § 10 William Lindner | § |
| 2. Samuel Wheeler | a. 11 Jacob Summers | § |
| 3. Peter Browne | § 12 Richard Tarmarney | § |
| 4. Philip Stager | § 13 William Davidson | § |
| 5. George Rickham | § 14 Ebenezer Tugerson | § |
| 6. Samuel Kinell | § 15 John Whitehead | § |
| 7. James Craig | § 16 Joseph Bird | § |
| 8. Robert Morris | § 17 Thomas W. Hiltgherina | § |
| 9. John Holmes | § 18. Derrick Peterson | § |

Defaulters.

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| 1. Edward Duffield | 4. John B. Gispin |
| 2. Peter Wincken | 5. Daniel King |
| 3. Humphrey Waterman | 6. Isaac Franks |

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Traverse Journals

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Republica

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Witnesses
John Brown s.
John H. Conner s.
John Gallagher s.
Lawrence & Reid s.
John Carr s.
Lewis Ryan s.
John Sargent s.
for Deput.
Matthew Gray s.
Thaddeus H. Catney s.
Daniel Quincy s.
Harper s.

James Reynolds,
William Duane,
Robert Moore &
Samuel Cummings

Shot and Assault and Battery
on James Gallagher the
Younger
True Bill.

Defendants being arraigned severally
pleaded Not Guilty et de hoc po: se: de hoc Gen.
sim: ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come to wit

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| 1. John Rink | s. | 7. Daniel Shittle | s. |
| 2. Thomas Tomkins | s. | 8. Daniel Teller | s. |
| 3. Henry Leach | s. | 9. William Etris | s. |
| 4. Henry Coffey | s. | 10. Shadrack Matter | s. |
| 5. George Goble | s. | 11. John Hapline | s. |
| 6. John Souder | s. | 12. Michael Bailey | s. |

Who on their Oaths say that the said James Reynolds
William Duane, Robert Moore and Samuel Cummings
are severally & Not Guilty of the Shot and Assault and
Battery as against them in the Indictment is alleged

And thereupon it is considered by the Court
here that the said James Reynolds, William Duane,
Robert Moore and Samuel Cummings be discharged

Republica

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Figaro, a Negro

Burglary in the house of John
Folliano

True Bill

Witnesses
John Folliano sum.
Christian Rink s.
Michael Bailey s.

Defendant being arraigned pleads & Not
Guilty et de hoc po: se: de hoc Gen. sim: ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz:

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| 1. Christian Rink | s. | 7. Henry Coffey | s. |
| 2. William Etris | s. | 8. John Hapline | s. |
| 3. Henry Pittman | s. | 9. Michael Bailey | s. |
| 4. Richard Talmer | s. | 10. Thomas Tomkins | s. |
| 5. Thomas Cash | s. | 11. John Davis | s. |
| 6. James Whalin | s. | 12. Henry Leach | s. |

Who on their Oaths and Affirmations respectively
say that the said Figaro is Guilty of the Burglary

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as in the Indictment against him is alleged

And therefore it is considered by the Court here that
 he said Tigar restore the Money stolen if not already restored
 to John Talian or the right owner or pay him the full value
 thereof or so much thereof as shall not be restored that he
 undergo a Servitude of Eighteen Calendar Months from
 this day to Wit the twenty first day of February in the year of
 our Lords one thousand seven hundred and Ninety Nine
 and during that time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed,
 clothed and heated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of
 this Commonwealth entitled an Act to reform the penal
 Laws of this State, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and
 be committed untill this Judgement is in all things complied
 with.

Witness
 William Workman
 William Weber

Respublica

John Ballentine

Burglary, House of William
 Workman

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned stands
 Not Guilty of de hoc spe. & recte Gen. Sim. ides

And thereupon a jury being called come to wit

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| 1. Jesse Groves | s. 7. Jacob Tru | s. |
| 2. Jacob Matter | s. 8. John Rink | s. |
| 3. Michael Wadman | s. 9. Henry Leach | s. |
| 4. Henry Lippert | s. 10. Henry Titterman | s. |
| 5. Isaac Garbat | s. 11. Daniel Zeller | s. |
| 6. Frederick Eniges | s. 12. Saul Harmer | s. |

Who on their oaths and affirmations, respectively
 say that the said John Ballentine is Not Guilty of the
 Burglary as in the Indictment against him is alleged

Ordered by the Court that the said John Ballen-
 tine enter into a Recognizance himself in fifty pounds and
 one Surety in other fifty pounds conditioned that the said
 John Ballentine keep the Peace and be of good Behaviour
 towards all the Citizens of the Commonwealth untill
 the next Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal
 Delivery to be held within the County of Philadelphia

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Republica

vs. *House of William*
Hannah Carson *Depts*

True Bill.

Defendant being arraigned pleads
Not Guilty et de hoc et ceteris Gen. Sum.
id est de

And then upon a jury being called came to wit

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|--------------------------|----|---------------------|----|
| 1. George Snyder | s. | 7. John Baris | s. |
| 2. Henry Stottman | s. | 8. e. Nick Wiley | s. |
| 3. e. Alexander Morrison | s. | 9. John Bajilind | s. |
| 4. Cadwalader Griffith | a. | 10. Isaac Hunt | s. |
| 5. William Ellis | s. | 11. Jesse Catts | s. |
| 6. Frederick Kilhoffer | s. | 12. Bennett Hamells | s. |

Who on their oaths and affirmations respectively say
that the said Hannah Carson is Guilty of the offense as
in the Indictment against her is alleged — — —

And then upon it is considered by the Court here
that the said Hannah Carson undergo a servitude
for the term of twelve years from this day to wit the
Twenty second day of February in the year of our Lord
one Thousand Seven hundred and ninety nine
and during the said term of twelve years be confined,
kept at hard labor, fed clothed and treated as is
directed by the act of Assembly of this Commonwealth
entitled an act to reform the Penal Laws of this State
that she pay the Costs of Prosecution and be committed
until this Judgement is in all Things complied with

Republica

vs. *Counterfeiting Coining &*
Philip Dorsey and *True Bill*
William Fitzgerald

Defendants being arraigned severally
pleads Not Guilty et de hoc et ceteris Gen. Sum.

And then upon a jury being called came to wit

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|------------------------|----|----------------------|----|
| 1. Thomas Brown | of | 7. Jacob H. Miller | s. |
| 2. Abel Evans | s. | 8. John e. Miller | s. |
| 3. Lile Buddy | s. | 9. Bennett Hamells | s. |
| 4. Anthony Vandervliet | s. | 10. Henry Eyberger | s. |
| 5. Jesse Catts | s. | 11. Michael e. Kaley | s. |
| 6. William Ellis | s. | 12. Jesse Groves | s. |

Witnesses
William Rapp s.
Geo. Reese s.
John e. Hunt s.
Thos. Morris s.
Eben. Tugwell s.

Witnesses
Fred. e. Brunkhaichs
George Galt s.
Benj. Griffith s.
John Robins s.
Michael Bullard s.
for Def. 11
James Welch s.

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Who on their Oaths and Affirmations respectively say that the said Philip Dorsey and William Fitzgerald are severally Guilty of the Counterfeiting, Coining &c as in the Indictment against them is alleged -

And thereupon it is considered by the Court here that the said Philip Dorsey undergo a Servitude for the term of five years from this day and during the said term of five years be confined, kept to hard labour fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania entitled an Act to reform the penal Laws of this State that he pay a fine of two hundred dollars to the Commonwealth, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and be committed until this Judgement is in all Things complied with -

And that the said William Fitzgerald undergo a Servitude for the term of five years from this day and during the said term of five years be confined, kept at hard labour, fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled an Act to reform the penal Laws of this State, that he pay a fine of two hundred dollars to the Commonwealth, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and be committed until this Judgement is in all things complied with -

Respublica

vs

William Collins

Burglary, House of William Workman,

True Bill

Atty Gen. non vult att. pros. pros.

Respublica

vs

John Edward Barry

Larceny, Goods of Rachel Barry

True Bill

Respublica

vs

John Edward Barry

Larceny, Goods of Davis Rankin

True Bill

Defendant not appearing to answer to the above

Bills of Indictment rejected £120

Robt. Miller his clerk, J. P. £120 recog. cor: Wm. Robinson

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Republica
vs
James Edgar

Capt. et.

Burglary house of William
Warkham
True Bill

James Edgar not appearing to answer
to the above Bill of Indictment,
forfeited £140
John Haigh his surety for £25
Robert M. Driscoll his surety for £25
John Simpson his surety for £20
Robert Hayson his surety for £20
Peter Rucan his surety for £30
Recog. cor: William Robinson Esquire

Republica
vs

John Brenner alias
Terrence Brennan

Assault and Battery on William
Gerkins
True Bill

Terrence Brennan not appearing to
answer to the above Bill of Indictment
forfeited 500 dollars
Gregory Rose } his sureties for two hundred
Edward Dunn } and fifty dollars each.
Recog. cor: the hon^{ble} Thomas M. Keane Esquire
24th July 1798.

Republica
vs

Jacob Weston Sen.
Jacob Weston Jun.
Isaac Weston and
Thomas Weston

Riot and Assault & Battery
on John Anderson
True Bill

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Republica
vs

Jacob Weston Sen.
Jacob Weston Jun.
Isaac Weston and
Thomas Weston

Riot and Assault and Battery
on William Griffith
True Bill

15³/₁₀₀

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Respublica

vs.

Jacob Heston Jun.
Jacob Heston Jun.
Isaac Heston and
Thomas Heston

Assault and Battery on
William Griffith

Be it remembered that on the
Twenty ^{second} day of February in the year of our
Lord one thousand seven hundred and
Ninety Nine Jacob Heston Senior, Jacob
Heston Junior, Isaac Heston, Thomas
Heston and Edward Heston of the County

of Philadelphia Women personally came before the honorable
John D. Cox Esquire and his Associates, Judges of the Court
of Oyer and Terminer and General Goals Delivery for the
Trial of Capital and other offences committed within the
City and County of Philadelphia; and acknowledge them-
selves to owe to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania by the said
Jacob Heston Senior, Jacob Heston Junior, Isaac Heston and
Thomas Heston each the Sum of one hundred pounds, sepa-
rately and the said Edward Heston the Sum of fifty pounds
to be levied on their Goods and Chatties, Lands and Tenements
respectively to the Use of the said Commonwealth; if the said
Jacob Heston Senior, Jacob Heston Junior, Isaac Heston and
Thomas Heston shall make default in the Condition under-
written

The Condition of the above Recognizance is
such that if the above bounden Jacob Heston Senior Jacob Heston
Junior, Isaac Heston and Thomas Heston shall personally
appear at the next Court of Oyer and Terminer and General
Goals Delivery to be holden in and for the City and County of
Philadelphia to do and receive what shall then and there
be enjoined them the said Recognizance shall be void or else
remain in Force

Respublica

vs.

William Griffith
John Anderson &
John Rea

Riot and Assault & Battery on
Jacob Heston

True Bill

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Republica

vs

William Griffith,
John Anderson &
John Shea

} Trial and Appaalt & Delivery,
on Isaac Weston,
True Bill

It is remembered that on the
22nd day of November in the year of our
Lord one Thomas Seim husband &
et aline & sine William Griffith,
John Anderson John Shea and
Nathan Suptee of the County of

Philadelphia Yeoman personally came before the honor-
able John D. Cox Esquire and his Associates Judges of
the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery
for the Trial of Capital and other offences committed
within the City and County of Philadelphia and acknow-
ledged themselves to owe to the Commonwealth of Penn-
sylvania viz the said William Griffith, John Anderson,
and John Shea each the Sum of one hundred pounds sepa-
rately and the said Nathan Suptee the Sum of fifty
pounds to be levied on their Goods and Chattels, Lands and
Tenements respectively to the Use of the said Commonwealth
in the said William Griffith, John Anderson and John
Shea shall make default in the Condition underwritten

The Condition of the above Recognizance is
such that if the above bounden William Griffith, John
Anderson and John Shea shall personally appear at
the next Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal
Delivery to be holden in and for the City and County of
Philadelphia to do and receive what shall then and there
be required them, then the said Recognizance shall be void or else
remain in force -

Republica

vs

John Doss

} Murder of Elizabeth Perkins
Ignoramus

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Repubblica
Isaac Hall } *the Murder of Mary Young alias Dutch*
Ignorantus

Respublica
vs
Terrance Brennan } *Murder of Elizabeth Jenkins*
Ignoramus

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Francis Burnman } *Maistrachter Elizabeth Perkins*
Senocramus

Repubblica
vs
William Jones,
Samuel Coyle,
James Dover,
William Bully &
Cranelius & Alsen

Repubblica
vs
William Griffith,
John Bea and
John & Anderson

Riot and Assault & Battery on
Daniel Bear

Senecamus.

Respublica
 vs
 William Griffith, } Riot and Assault on Henry Helmbolt
 John Rea and } with Intent to murder
 John Anderson } Senoramus.

Respublica
 William Griffith,
 John Lee and
 John Anderson } Riot and Assault & Battery on Henry
 Humboldt
 Ignoramus.

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Respublica
 14
 William Griffith
 John Rea and
 John c Anderson } Riot and Assault on Daniel Bear
 with Intent to murder
 Ignoramus.

Respublica
 15
 William Griffith
 John Rea and
 John c Anderson } Assault and Battery on Henry
 Helmbolt
 Ignoramus.

Respublica
 16
 William Griffith
 John Rea and
 John c Anderson } Assault and Battery on Daniel
 Bear
 Ignoramus.

Respublica
 17
 William Griffith } Assault on Isaac Weston with
 Intent to murder
 Ignoramus.

Be it remembered that on the
 nineteenth day of February in the
 year of our Lord one Thousand seven
 hundred and ninety nine personally
 came before the Honorable John
 D. Cox Esquire and his Associates, Judges of the Court
 of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery for the
 Trial of Capital and other Offences committed within
 the City and County of Philadelphia Peter Stewart
 and Robert Cochran of the said City and acknowledged
 themselves to owe to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
 each the Sum of two hundred Dollars separately
 to be levied on their Goods and Chattels, Lands and Tenements
 for the Use of the said Commonwealth if the said
 Peter Stewart and Robert Cochran shall make default

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in the Condition underwritten.

The Condition of the above Recognizance is such that if the above bounden Peter Stewart and Robert Cochran shall personally appear at the next Mayor's Court to be holden within the City of Philadelphia to answer a Charge of Printing and publishing a Libel against William Cobbett then the said Recognizance shall be void or else remain in force.

Be it remembered that Matthew Carey and Francis Bailey of the City of Philadelphia Printers, on the sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety Nine personally came before the Honorable John D. Cox Esquire and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery for the Trial of Capital and other Offences committed within the City and County of Philadelphia; and acknowledged themselves to owe to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania each the Sum of Four hundred Dollars separately to be levied on their Goods and Chattels Lands and Tenements for the Use of the said Commonwealth if the said Matthew Carey and Francis Bailey shall make default in the Condition underwritten.

The Condition of the above Recognizance is such that if the above bounden Matthew Carey and Francis Bailey shall personally appear at the next Mayor's Court to be holden within the City of Philadelphia to answer a Charge of printing and publishing a Libel against William Cobbett then the said Recognizance shall be void or else remain in force.

Be it remembered that on the sixteenth day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety Nine personally came before The Honorable John D. Cox Esquire and his Associates, Judges of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery for the Trial of Capital and other Offences committed within the City and County of Philadelphia; William Cobbett and John Ward, Printers of the City of Philadelphia Printers and

acknowledged

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acknowledged themselves to owe to the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania each the Sum of Fifty dollars ~~separately~~ to be levied on their Goods and Chattles, Lands and Tenements for the Use of the said Commonwealth if the said William Cobbett and John Ward Tanno shall make default in the Condition underwritten —

The Condition of the above Recognizance is such that if the above bounden William Cobbett shall personally appear at the next Mayor's Court to be holden within the City of Philadelphia to prosecute for the Commonwealth against Peter Stewart, Robert Green and Matthew Carey for printing and publishing a Libel against the said William Cobbett then the said Recognizance shall be void or else remain in force —

Patrick O'Hara,
Isaac Kell,
William Jones,
James Coyle,
William Bully,
James Dove,
George Johnson
James Milner,
John Bird.

discharged from Prison by Order
of the Attorney General —

William Collins } discharged by Order of the Court,

Respublica } Bill of September Sessions 1795
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James Ogleson } On Motion of W. Dunkin
the Court awarded a Capias ad respondendum ret. ~~in~~ forthwith

The following Representation from the Grand Jury accompanied with a Letter from Robert Wharton Esquire Mayor of the City of Philadelphia was presented and read as follows viz:

To the Judges of the Court of Ours and
Examiner and Gentles Great Delivers — The Grand

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Inquest of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania enquiring for the City and County of Philadelphia; be leave to present to your honorable Court

That during the prevalence of the late awful Calamity in our City - two unhappy Men came to an untimely death in the Goal of the City and County aforesaid in an attempt to make their Escape from Confinement - The Circumstances were truly alarming inasmuch as the Lives and Property of many of our Citizens would have been at their Mercy if such a successful Banditti had effected their Escape; which in all human Probability they would have done had it not been for the Activity of Robert Wharton Esquire who at the risk of falling himself a Victim to the destructive pestilence which then desolated the City; he from a Motive of public Good undertook the perilous task of Keeper of the Goal (the former Keeper Peter Smith and several others had rendered away) In the Endeavours to quench the daring riot it was indispensably necessary to take the most vigorous Measures; and in the discharge of a most sacred duty Robert Wharton Esquire, and George Gass (a Constable) fired on them, at the same time when one of the Prisoners was shot in the very act of taking the Life of Thomas Evans (a Constable who was then lying down stunned from a Stroke received from one of the rioters) with an uplifted Pistol &c - It appears from our Enquiries that the other Man was killed by Thomas Evans (the aforesaid Constable) before the Affair subsided -

We therefore be leave to represent Robert Wharton Esquire and all his Associates in the aforesaid description as doing an act which impious & impious, the Duty of officers, Men and Citizens not only fully justify but which We further Present, as highly meritorious and deserving the Thanks of their Fellow Citizens

Philadelphia February 25. 1799

Signed,

Joseph Compagnone, Freeman	Benjamin Ferguson
Samuel Wheeler	Joseph Bird
Peter Browne	Thomas W. Hitzheimer
Samuel Howell Junr.	Derrick Tilden
James Craig	Robert Morris
John Hume	Philip Kiser
William Lynam	George Pickham
And Sommer	John Whitehead
Richard Titman	
William Davidson	

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Philadelphia February 18. 1799

Sir,

Since the last Court of Oyer and Terminer was held in and for the City and County of Philadelphia and during the late awful Visitation with which it pleased Providence to afflict our City; a melancholy Occurrence took Place at the Philadelphia Truck where I was compelled to be a principal Actor, a regard for my fellow-Man urged me to save a useful Citizens Life who then was under the axe of a Russian, which only could be done by closing the Career of the daring Assailant —

Humanity must mourn over the Deed whilst public Safety and General Preservation will be offered as a justification for the Solemn Act — Permit me Sir through you to request that the Grand Jury will be pleased to investigate the Transaction. For altho the Verdict of the Coroners Enquest was clear and satisfactory, as far as laid with them yet it certainly is a Matter of too much Importance — (as the Lives of two fellow Creatures were taken) to rest without minute Enquiry being made by your highly-responsible Body... At any day and hour that you may appoint I will take care to procure the Attendance of the Witnesses and it would be highly gratifying to me, if you would be so obliging after your Enquiries are closed to report the Result to the Court.

With great respect I remain

Joseph Cooperthwait
Esquire Foreman of the
Grand Jury of the County
of Oyer and Terminer

Your obliged friend
Robert Wharton

And thereupon ordered by the Court that the said Letter together with the representation of the Grand Jury on the Subject be filed with the records of this Court

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General
 Jacob Delany held at the State House in the City of Phila-
 delphia in and for the City and County of Philadelphia
 on Monday the Tenth day of February in the Year of our Lord
 One Thousand Eight Hundred and continued by Adjourn-
 ment untill the Sixteenth day of the said Month

Before

The Honorable John D. Cox Esquire President of the
 Courts of Common Pleas of the first Circuit of the Common-
 wealth of Pennsylvania consisting of the City and County
 of Philadelphia and the Counties of Bucks, Montgomery
 and Delaware and by Virtue of his Office one of the Justices
 of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Jacob De-
 livery of the said Counties, Reynold Kien, Jonathan
 Bayard Smith, William Catts and Edward Weston
 Esquires Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County
 of Philadelphia and by Virtue of their Offices Justices of the
 Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jacob Delany for
 the County of Philadelphia -

The Sheriff viz. Jonathan Tenrose Esquire
 returns the Precept to him directed and the following Persons
 were sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors viz:

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| 1. William Jones <i>Tamm</i> | 11 Jonathan Schiffelke | s |
| 2. John Skiscep | 12 Frederick Walcott | s |
| 3. Philip Wager | 13 Robert Morris | a. |
| 4. Joseph Compton | 14 Philip Peltz | s |
| 5. Samuel Wheeler | 15 Christian Sheetz | s |
| 6. Peter Brown | 16 Joseph Bird | a. |
| 7. Isaac Wendt | 17 Ebenezer Ferguson | s |
| 8. William Robinson | 18 William Warner | a |
| 9. George Brade | 19 Joshua Jones | s |
| 10. Jacob Jacob | | |

Defaulters.

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|--------------------------------|----------------|
| 1. Joshua Comley | 4 Isaac Franks |
| 2. Jacob Miller <i>excused</i> | 5 John Satter |
| 3. John Huston <i>excused</i> | |

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Traverse Jurors

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|-------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 Jesse Greer | 27 John Stock |
| 2 John Brink | 28 Walter Lyle |
| 3 Peter Buddy | 29 Atchison Thompson |
| 4 c Anthony Vanderslice | 30 c Marcus Goya Jun ^r |
| 5 Silas Wilson | 31 Frederick Godshall |
| 6 William Brown | 32 John Rice |
| 7 Alexander Leller | 33 Jacob Bideman |
| 8 John Curtis | 34 Conrad Baker |
| 9 c Alexander Stiel | 35 c Michael Kuhn |
| 10 Daniel c Mc Kinahan | 36 Jacob Hill |
| 11 Thomas Stuart | 37 c Martin Wicknot |
| 12 John Adolph | 38 Daniel Deal |
| 13 John Davis | 39 c Marko Cramp |
| 14 Thomas Cash | 40 William Cornelius |
| 15 William Brown | 41 c Michael Kriller |
| 16 c Michael Ash | 42 John Crumwell |
| 17 Jonathan Roberts | 43 Isaac Hartat |
| 18 John Bender | 44 Hugh Morrison |
| 19 Hugh Goden | 45 Frederick Tiper |
| 20 James Portland | 46 Charles Krugler |
| 21 John Klapp | 47 John Church |
| 22 John Harper | 48 Isaac Rich |
| 23 John Hunter | 49 Lewis Rush |
| 24 Frederick Trepangh | 50 William Wicks |
| 25 Peter Shade | 51 John c Miller |
| 26 Jacob Walter | 52 Philip Gosler |

Defaulters.

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| 1. Thomas c Mitchell | 5. Lewis Deamer |
| 2. William Rogers | 6. Daniel Rubicon |
| 3 Thomas Peters | 7. Richard Babe |
| 4 William Smiley | |

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Respublica

vs.

William Lees

Burglary, House of John Gilbert
and stealing one Silver Watch of the
Value of twelve Dollars, & two Silver Tea Spoons
of the Value of three dollars, the Goods & Chattels of
the said John Gilbert.

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not Guilty & de
hoc de c. & c. & c. & c. afterwards Defendant
withdraws his plea and pleads Guilty.

Judgment. that he restore the property stolen if not already
restored to John Gilbert the right Owner or pay him fifteen Dollars
the Value thereof, that he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth
the like Value, that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of three
Years from and after the expiration of three Years from this Day
viz the Eleventh Day of February one thousand eight Hundred
(six Months part thereof in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol and peni-
tentiary House in the City of Philadelphia) and during that time
be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as is
directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled
"in Act to reform the penal Laws of this State, that he pay the
Costs of prosecution and stand committed untill this judg-
ment is in all things complied with

Respublica

vs.

William Lees

Burglary

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not Guilty
afterwards withdraws the plea of Not Guilty
and pleads Guilty.

Judgment that he restore the property stolen if not already
restored to Benjamin Fuller the right Owner or pay him three
Hundred and sixty Seven dollars and forty Cents the Value
thereof, that he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the like
Value

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Value, that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of three years from this day viz the Eleventh day of February One Thousand Eight Hundred (Six Months part thereof in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol and Penitentiary House in the City of Philadelphia) and during that time be confined, kept at hard labour, fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform the penal Laws of this State, that he pay the Costs of prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is in all Things complied with -

Respublice
vs
John Thomas } Burglary
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads Guilty Judgment. that he restore the property stolen if not already restored or pay the Sum of thirteen Dollars the Value thereof to Mary Thomas the true Owner, that he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the like Value, that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of four years from this Day viz the Eleventh Day of February One Thousand Eight Hundred (One year part thereof in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol and Penitentiary House in the City of Philadelphia) and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform the penal Laws of this State, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is in all Things complied with -

Respublica
vs
John Thomas } Burglary
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads ~~Not~~
Guilty as to the first Count. Att^y. Gen^l. not. pros. on the 2^d Count
Judgment that he restore the property stolen if not already restored to Samuel Blair the right Owner or pay him

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Seventy Six Dollars the Value thereof that he forfeit and pay to the
Commonwealth the like Value, that he undergo a Servitude for
the Term of three Years from and after the Expiration of four
Years which shall be completed from the Eleventh day of Febru-
ary One thousand eight Hundred (Six Months part of the said
three years to be in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol and Penitentiary
House in the City of Philadelphia) that he be confined, kept at
hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of
Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform
the penal Laws of this State, that he pay the Costs of Prose-
cution and stand committed untill this Judgment is in all
Things complied with

Respublica

^{vs}
Joseph ab. James Miller

} Burglary
True Bill

Defendants being arraigned pleads

Not Guilty afterwards retracts his plea
of Not Guilty and pleads Guilty

Judgment that he restore the property stolen to George Beckley
the true Owner if not already restored, or pay him six pounds Eight
Shillings and seven pence the Value thereof, that he forfeit and pay the
like Value to the Commonwealth, that he undergo a Servitude for
the Term of three Years from this day viz^t the fifteenth day of Febru-
ary Anno Domini One Thousand Eight Hundred (Six Months
part thereof in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol & Penitentiary House
in the City of Philadelphia) that he be confined, kept at hard
Labour, fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly
of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform the Penal Laws
of this State, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand
committed untill this Judgment is in all Things complied
with

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Republica

Martin Knowlan,
John O'Brian
William Dillin &
Richard Mills

Burglary
Indictment
Defendants

John O'Brian and Richard Mills

being arraigned severally plead Guilty and William
Dillin pleads Not Guilty and he & atty Gen.
said he does &c

And now a Jury being called come viz^d Frederick Piper,
John Adolph, Marks Kramp, John Curtis, William Brown
Thomas Cash, Thomas Stuart, & Martin Worknobi, John Klapp
Peter Buddy, William Cornelius and Lewis Dummer who being
duly elected, tried sworn and affirmed upon their Oaths respective-
ly say that the said William Dillin is Not Guilty of the
Burglary, but Guilty of feloniously stealing, taking and
carrying away the Goods and Chattles mentioned in the Ind-
ictment

Judgment. That John O'Brian and Richard
Mills restore the Property stolen if not already restored to Jacob
Gerard Koch the true Owner or pay him Two Hundred and nine
ten Dollars the Value thereof that they severally pay the like Value
to the Commonwealth, that they severally undergo a Sentence
for the Term of three years from this day viz^d the twelfth day
of February Anno Domini One thousand Eight hundred
(Six Months part thereof in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol &
Penitentiary House in the City of Philadelphia) that they seve-
rally be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated
as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled
and set to reform the penal Laws of this State, that they severally
pay the Costs of prosecution and stand committed until this
Judgment is in all Things complied with - That William
Dillin restore the Property stolen if not already restored to Jacob
Gerard Koch the true Owner or pay him Two hundred and nine
ten Dollars the Value thereof that he forfeit and pay the like
Value to the Commonwealth, that he undergo a Sentence for

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the Term of one Year from this Day viz the twelfth day of February in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform the penal Laws of this State", that he pay the Costs of prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is in all things complied with -

Respublica

vs

Amos Merrion

} Robbery
True Bill

Witness

Margaret Tanning

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not Guilty
et de hoc &c atty Genl. Sim: &c deo &c

And now a Jury being called come Viz Lewis Rushelohm Bunder William Cunnellins John Cunnell John Nices John Ninkers Hugh Ogden Andrew Guyer Jun: Isaac Harbest William Smiley & Nicholas Thompson & North Robertson being duly empanelled, elected, tried sworn and affirmed upon their Oaths and Affirmations respectively Say that the said Amos Merrion is Guilty of the Robbery whereof he stands indicted In Modo et Forma

Judgment that he restore the property stolen if not already restored to Margaret Tanning the right Owner or pay her the Value thereof that he forfeit and pay the like Value to the Commonwealth that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of five Years from this Day viz the eleventh day of February in the Year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred (one Year part of the said Term in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol and Penitentiary House in the City of Philadelphia) that he be confined, kept at hard Labour fed, clothed and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform the penal Laws of this State", that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is in all things complied with -

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Respublica

vs
Anthony Thompson

} assault upon Mary Talon with Intent
to ravish

True Bill

Witnesses for def.
Richard M. Gu...
Charles M. Knight...
Daniel Clark...

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not Guilty
et de hoc &c. Atty Gen. Sim. &c. idco &c.

And now a jury being called come vizt. William Cornelius,
Lewis Danner, John Davis, John Clapp, Thomas Cosh, Thomas
Hunt, Philip Gessler, Thomas Mitchell, Isaac Hembest,
Marks Kram, Richard Babe, and Isaac Rich who being
duly impanelled, sworn and affirmed, upon their
oaths and affirmations respectively say that the said Anthony
Thompson is guilty of the assault as in the first Count of the
Indictment against him is alledged and as to the second Count
in the Indictment contained Atty Gen. non vult sub. pros.

Judgment that he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth
the sum of Forty Dollars, that he suffer an Imprisonment in the
Gaol of the City and County of Philadelphia for the Term of
one Calendar Month from this day vizt. the fifteenth day of
February Anno Domini one thousand Eight hundred, that
he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed untill
this judgment is in all things complied with

Respublica

vs
George Kirkland &
Peter M. Dewitt

} Robbery

True Bill

Witnesses
David Gu...
Sarah Gu...
Cesar B...
Jacob Straines

Defendants George Kirkland being arraigned
pleads Not Guilty et de hoc &c. Atty Gen. Sim. &c.
idco &c.

And now a jury being called come vizt. Frederick Frepaugh, Alexan-
der Auld, Jacob Hill, William Smith, John Hunter, John Cooks,
Thomas Mitchell, Hugh Morrison, John Miller, John Davis
Hugh Ogden, and James Senter who being duly impanelled, sworn
and affirmed, upon their oaths and affirmations
respectively say that the said George Kirkland is guilty of the
Robbery whereof he stands indicted In Modo et Forma

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Judgment - That he restore the Property stolen if not already restored to David Glen the true Owner or pay him Seven Dollars the Value thereof, that he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the like Value that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of three Years from this day viz the Nineteenth Day of February in the Year of our Lords One thousand Eight hundred & five Months part of said three years in the Solitary Cells of the Gaol and Penitentiary House in the City of Philadelphia that he be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and treated as is directed by the Act of Assembly of this Commonwealth entitled "An Act to reform the penal Laws of this State, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this judgment is in all Things complied with"

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George Kirkland?
John M. Devitt

Witnesses
David Glen
Sarah Glen
Crown Witness
Arch. Chromast

Assault and Battery upon Sarah Glen
True Bill

Defendant George Kirkland being arraigned
pleads Not Guilty of the above charged Crime.
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And now a Jury being called came viz Frederick Thompson, Clerk
under State, Jacob Hill, William Smith, John Hunter, John
Curtis, Thomas Mitchell, Hugh Morrison, John Miller, John
Davis, Hugh Ogden and James Tullin who being duly impan-
nelled, sworn and affirmed upon their Oaths and Affirm-
ations respectively say that the said George Kirkland is Guilty of
the offence but not Guilty of the Assault and Battery as in
the Indictment against him is alleged.

Judgment that he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the
Sum of five dollars, that he pay the Costs of prosecution and be
committed until this judgment is in all Things complied
with

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George Kirkland & } Assault and Battery upon
John McDevitt } David Glen
True Bill

Witnesses
David Glen
Sarah Glen
Robert Brown
Jacob Brown

Defendants George Kirkland being arraigned
pleads et non cul: et de hoc &c atty Gen. vinn &c
ideo &c

And now a jury being called come Viz Frederick Truppaugh,
Alexander Steele, Jacob Heile, William Smilie, John Hunter
John Curtis, Thomas Mitchell, Hugh Morrison John
Miller, John Davis, Hugh Ogden and James Fintlin
who being duly impanelled, elected, tried, sworn and affirmed
upon their Oaths and affirmations respectively say that the
said George Kirkland is Guilty of the Assault and Battery
whereof he stands indicted In Words et Forma

Judgment That he forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth
the Sum of Ten Dollars, that he pay the Costs of prosecution
and stand committed untill this Judgment is in all things
complied with

Respublica

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William Griffith
John Anderson &
John Rea

Bill of February Sept. 1800

Riot and Assault & Battery upon
Jacob Weston
True Bill

Witnesses
Jacob Weston
Abraham Weston
Charles Supple

Defendants being arraigned severally plead

et non guilty et de hoc &c atty Gen. vinn &c ideo &c

And now a jury being called come Viz John Cromwell, Frederick
Truppaugh, Alexander Steele, Jonathan Roberts, Michael Kuhn
Jacob Heile, John Bender, William Brown, Alcheson Thomp-
son, Peter Buddy, John Curtis, John Hunter who being duly

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impanelled, elected, tried, sworn and affirmed Upon their Oaths and affirmations respectively shew that the said William Griffith, John Anderson and John Rea are severally guilty of the Riot and Assault and Battery whereof they stand indicted in Words & Terms

Judgment. that the said John Anderson forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the Sum of Twenty five dollars, that he enter into Recognizance himself in three Hundred Dollars and one sufficient security in other three Hundred dollars, to keep the peace and be of good Behavior to all the Citizens of this Commonwealth for one Year from this date to wit the Nineteenth day of February in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Eight hundred That William Griffith forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the Sum of fifteen dollars - That John Rea forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the Sum of Ten dollars, that the said defendants pay the Costs of Prosecution and that they be respectively committed untill this Judgment is complied with -

Respublica

Bill of 1800

William Griffith,
John Anderson &
John Rea

Riot and Assault and Battery upon
Isaac Weston
True Bill

Attorneys
Isaac Weston a
Abraham Weston a
James Supple a

Defendants being arraigned severally pleaded
Not Guilty et de hoc & ceteris Gen. Sum. & ceteris

And now a jury being called came viz John Cromwell, Frederick Forepaugh, Alexander Steele, Jonathan Roberts, Michael Kuhn, Jacob Hill, John Bender, William Brown, & Hester Thompson Peter Buddy, John Curtis, John Hunter, who being duly impanelled elected, tried, sworn and affirmed upon their Oaths and affirmations respectively shew that the said William Griffith John Anderson and John Rea are severally guilty of the Riot and

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and Assault and Battery whereof they stand indicted In
Mads et forma

Judgment - That John Anderson forfeit and pay
to the Commonwealth the Sum of Twenty five Dollars -
That William Griffith forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth
the Sum of fifteen dollars. That John Rea forfeit and pay
to the Commonwealth the Sum of Ten dollars - that the
defendants pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand commit-
ted untill this judgment is complied with

Respublica

vs
Edward Spogell } first Count for Murder, second Count
for Manslaughter
Sonoramus as to the first Count
True Bill as to the second Count

Defendant being arraigned pleads Not Guilty
et de hoc &c &c Gen. Sum &c idco &c

And now a Jury being called come Viz Thomas Stewart, William
Rogers, John Cratis, Martin Worknab, Daniel Mc Karaha
Michael Ash, Frederick Godshall, Michael Kuhn, William
Hicks, Lewis Deamer & Anthony Vanderslice, John Church
who being duly impanelled, elected, tried, sworn and affirmed upon
their oaths and affirmations respectively Say that the said
Edward Spogell is Not Guilty of the Manslaughter
whereof he stands Indicted

Witnesses for Pros.
John Tibbels sw

Witnesses for Defendant
Doctor Thysick a
Ann Lykins sw
Casar Holland sw
John Huston sw
Hannah Griffith sw
Frederick Ulrich sw
William Jones sw
William Winderly sw
Samson Crosby sw
Jm. J. Parson sw
Frederick Rea sw
John W. Bradstreet sw
John Boyce sw
Thomas Stewart sw
Jacob Young sw
D. Westac off
John Morris off
Will. Robinson Esq. off

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Respublica

vs

Jacob Heston Sen.
Jacob Heston Jun.
Isaac Heston and
Thomas Heston.

Hindes
John Anderson
William Griffith
James Griffith

Rob and assault and Battery upon
John Anderson
True Bill

Defendants being arraigned severally pleads
Not Guilty et cetera hoc de Atty Gen. Sim. & deo &c
And now a jury being called come viz John Cromwell, Frederick
Frepaugh, Alexander Steel, Jonathan Roberts, & Michael Kuhn,
Jacob Hill, John Bender, William Brown, Atcheson Thompson,
Peter Buddy, John Curtis and John Hunter who being duly
impanelled, elected, tried sworn and affirmed upon their oaths and
affirmations respectively say that the said Jacob Heston Sen. Jacob
Heston Jun., Isaac Heston and Thomas Heston are severally Not
Guilty on both Counts in the Indictment

Respublica

vs

Jacob Heston Sen
Jacob Heston Jun.
Isaac Heston and
Thomas Heston

Hindes
John Anderson
William Griffith
James Griffith

Rob and assault and Battery upon
William Griffith
True Bill

Defendants being arraigned severally plead
Not Guilty et cetera hoc de Atty Gen. Sim. & deo &c
And now a jury being called come viz John Cromwell, Frederick
Frepaugh, Alexander Steel, Jonathan Roberts, & Michael Kuhn,
Jacob Hill, John Bender, William Brown, Atcheson Thompson,
Peter Buddy, John Curtis, and John Hunter who being duly im-
panelled, elected, tried sworn and affirmed upon their oaths and
Affirmations respectively say that the said Jacob Heston Sen. Jacob
Heston Jun. Isaac Heston and Thomas Heston are severally Not
Guilty on both Counts in the Indictment

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 Jacob Weston Senr.
 Jacob Weston Junr.
 Isaac Weston and
 Thomas Weston

} Assault & Battery upon
 William Griffith
 True Bill
 Atty Gen non vult with pros.

Respublica

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 John Ridgway &
 Lydia Brannington

} first Count & Murder - second Count
 Manslaughter
 Ignoramus as to the first Count
 True Bill as to the second Count

*Hester Jos
 Peter Hille sum
 Elizabeth Hildand sum
 John Ferguson &*

Defendants being arraigned severally plead Mincul.
 et de hoc & Atty Gen Sumit & deo &
 And now a Jury being called come Viz Isaac Harbest, Jacob
 Rideman, Hugh Ogden, John Cummwell, Jacob Witter John
 Miller, Frederick Traupangh, William Smiley Alexander Steel
 John Kemper, Peter Shade, and John Adolph who being duly in-
 -panelled elected, truly sworn and affirmed, upon their Oaths &
 Affirmations respectively Say that the said John Ridgway
 and Lydia Brannington are severally & tot guilty of the
 Manslaughter whereof they stand indicted

Respublica

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 James Hopkins,
 Charles McKnight
 Richard McGee

} Assault & Battery upon Mary Talon
 True Bill as to James Hopkins
 Ignoramus as to Richard McGee &
 Charles McKnight

James Hopkins
 William Kinsman

} solemnly tender the sum of eighty dollars, in the personal
 appearance of James Hopkins at the next Court of oyer and
 terminer to answer the above Charge &c.

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Republica
vs
James Dorsey &
Cesar Barnes } Burglary
Condemned

Republica
vs
Amos Kerrison } Assault and Battery upon Margaret
Henniger
True Bill
Atty Gen Enoll. pres.

Republica
vs
James Edgar } Bill of Feb'y 1799
Burglary
True Bill

Feb'y 1800 continued

February 17. 1800 James Edgar took in the Sum of Six hundred
and Dollars for his personal appearance at the next Court of Oyer
and Terminer for the City and County of Philadelphia to an-
swer the above Charge -

Malcolm & W^d Donald of the City of Philadelphia Must
shant take in three hundred dollars on Condition that the
said James Edgar appear as above

John Dougherty discharged by Proclamation

Feb'y 15 Lazarus Stow } severally took in fifty pounds conditioned for the personal appear-
ance of Charles Shields at the next Mayor's Court to answer a
Charge of Larceny -

" George Poppel took in fifty dollars to prosecute Patrick McDevitt

" 17 Felix McDevitt not appearing to answer a Charge of Burglary forfeited
Two Hundred Dollars Deco: July 29. 1799. crim Robert Wharton Esq: Mayor
James Mc Cormick } his Sureties forfeited One Hundred dollars
Patrick McDevitt } each Deco: July 29. 1799. co: Robert Whar-
ton Esquire

February 1800

Robert Wharton Esquire Mayor of the City of Philadelphia
returns the following Recognizances taken by him which are
now entered of record viz. July 29. 1799

Patrick McDevitt Laborer lives in Lombard Street between
seventh & Eighth Streets and James McEnnick Shoemaker lives
on Poppyunk Lane between Plum and Gorman Streets both
Freeholders each took in One hundred Dollars Conditioned for
Peter McDevitt's personal Appearance to answer at the next
Court of Oyer and Terminer

Peter McDevitt took in Two hundred Dollars for his personal
appearance to answer &c²

February 17. 1800

April Sessions 1802

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery held at Philadelphia for the City and County of Philadelphia on Monday the nineteenth day of April in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and two and continued by Adjournment untill the

Before

The Honourable John D Loe Esquire President of the Courts of Common Pleas of the first Circuit of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, consisting of the City and County of Philadelphia and the Counties of Bucks, Montgomery and Delaware and by virtue of his Office one of the Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery of the said Counties, Jonathan Bayard Smith and Edward Weston Esquires Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia aforesaid and by virtue of their Offices Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery for the same County

The Sheriff to wit Israel Israel Esquire having returned the Precept to him directed And thereupon the following Persons were sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors viz

1 Emanuel Eyres	s.	11 Frederick Wolbert	s.
2 Derrick Peterson	s.	12 Ebenezer Ferguson	s.
3 Isaac Howell	a.	13 Jacob Summers	a.
4 George Budd	s.	14 Joshua Cornley	s.
5 Robert Wharton	a.	15 Henry Sheaff	s.
6 William Leonard	s.	16 Christian Meitz	s.
7 Samuel Wheeler	a.	17 Heath Kirby	a.
8 Joseph Connerthwaite	s.	18 Michael Kuhn	s.
9 Philip Peltz	s.	19 John Huston	s.
10 John Baker	s.	20 John Hunter	s.

Defaulters.

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| 1 John Barker | 3 John Inokeep |
| 2 John DeWaltson | |

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Traverse Jurors.

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| 1 Alexandrae None | 24 Joseph Hart |
| 2 Peter Buddy | 25 W ^m Godfellow |
| 3 Isaac Rich | 26 Enoch Wright |
| 4 John Hay | 27 James Ryan |
| 5 Robert Sullen | 28 Peter Grawenstone |
| 6 Thomas Vizer | 29 Joseph Bispham |
| 7 Charles Reed | 30 William Bell |
| 8 William Ogden | 31 Sanders Purvis |
| 9 Matthias Corliss | 32 George Hexterton |
| 10 John Jones | 33 Nathan Arthurton |
| 11 John North | 34 George Pringhurst |
| 12 Samuel Wigglesworth | 35 Samuel Barnes |
| 13 Joseph Blame | 36 Samuel F Bradford |
| 14 Joseph Taggart | 37 William Hunter |
| 15 Joseph Shoemaker | 38 Charles C Watson |
| 16 Lewis Bender | 39 John Solwell |
| 17 John Service | 40 Thomas Dixey |
| 18 Thomas Barnes | 41 Samuel Baker |
| 19 Joseph Burns | 42 Jacob Thomas excused |
| 20 Abel Evans | 43 John Smith |
| 21 Isaiah Evans | 44 John Harland |
| 22 Nicodemus Lloyd | |
| 23 Thomas Hamilton | |

Defantters.

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| 1 Joseph Bell | 7 Henry Lantz |
| 2 John Singer | 8 Samuel Clothier |
| 3 Richard Price | 9 Joseph Lynes |
| 4 John Ramoey | 10 William Young |
| 5 Jonathan Jones | 11 Samuel Pancoast |
| 6 Isaac Tasson | |

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John Drenvy

Murder of Hank Tuke
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleaded
Not cul. et de hoc se Atty Gen sum
de iure

Houses for Comm		To Let	
John Taylor	4	Thos. Inghamwhite	4
Wm. Taylor	4	Calab. Buckham	4
Wm. Brown	4	Henry York	4
Pathe Carroll	4	Saml. Leeds	4
Doc. W. Stewart	4	Franklin Wharton	4
La. Lingley	4	Anthony Gale	4

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz Joseph Shoemaker, Alexander Moore, William Ogden, Charles Reed Joseph Taggart, Saunders Purvis, Peter Gravenstine, Thomas Barnes, Thomas Dixey, Charles C Watson, John Day and Lewis Bender who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively Say That the Defendant is Not Guilty of the Murder whereof he stands Indicted

Republica

vs

Ignatius B. Lamert

Murder of Benjamin Harman
True Bill

Atq. Gen. non vult ult. pros.

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Isaac Furman

Murder of William Young
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads
Non Cul. et de hoc Sc^t Atty Gen^r sum^r
Sc^t Ideo Sc^t

<i>Hutchinson</i>		<i>To Dept</i>	
<i>Wm Plant</i>	"	<i>Doc Boyer</i>	<i>Rush</i> 4.
<i>Doc Hughes</i>	"	<i>Doc Ruess</i>	2
<i>Jas Pender</i>	"	<i>Martin Thomas</i>	2.
<i>Sepie Butz</i>	"		
<i>Doc Peter</i>	"		
<i>Sam Garrigue</i>	"		
<i>Doc Dodel</i>	"		

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz
William Ogden, George Bringham, Abel Evans, Joseph Burns,
Enoch Wright, Thomas Dixey, Joseph Taggart, Joseph Shoemaker,
Matthias Corless, George Robertson, Samuel Barnes and
Saunders Purvis who being duly unpannelled, returned, elected
by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that
the Defendant is a Not Guilty of the Murder and Felony, but
Guilty of Manslaughter

And now April 27. 1802 Judgment. That Defendant undergo

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undergo an Imprisonment for the Term of Ten Years from this day, That ~~and~~ for one Year part of the said Term ^{he} undergo solitary Confinement in the Gaol and Penitentiary House of Philadelphia, and during the residue of the said Term be kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as the Law directs That he give Security by recognizance to the Commonwealth himself in the Sum of Five Hundred Dollars and one sufficient Surety in the like Sum with Condition for his good Behaviour during Life That he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed untill this Judgment is complied with

Respublica
vs
Israel Furman

Assault upon William Hart with
Intent to murder

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul. et
de hoc &c

Respublica
vs
Israel Furman

Assault and Battery upon William
Young

True Bill

Atty Gen non vult ult. pros.

Respublica
vs
John Neil

Murder of Rachel Cann
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non
cul. et de hoc &c Atty Gen non vult ult. pros.

Witnesses for Com. for Def.
John Allen, Dr. Ben. Clark
Hester Waters, Dr. Goldwell
Ely, Wilson, Dr. R. Cooper
Bridget Rogers, Mary Roberts
The Harriette, other Angels
Isaac P. Hopper
Jacob Thomas

And then upon a Jury being called come to wit Thomas
Viger, Joseph Prophan, Sanders Harves, Lewis Bender, George
Bringhurst, Joseph Taggart, Charles Reads, William Bell, Samuel
J. Bradford, William Hunter, Peter Buddy and Thomas Dixey
who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by ballot, tried, chosen,

sworn

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sworn and affirmed respectively Say That the Defendant is Not
Guilty of the Murder whereof he stands indicted and that he did
not fly for it ~

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2nd William C. Mason

Wm. H. Jones for Com	For Drift
Dr. Leacock	Wm. Griffiths
Geo. H. Nelson	John. Bartlett
Wm. Nelson	David Irving
Dr. Case	
Dr. Phil. Carver	

*Murder of Mary Mason
True Bill*

Defendant being arraigned pleads non
cul: et de hoc vult ^{Gen} sum de ideo &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come vizt Samuel Barnes, Samuel T Bradford, George Brinckhurst, Joseph Bispham Thomas Barnes, Joseph Shoemaker, Nathan Atherton, Abel Evans, John Smith, John Service, Lewis Bender and Charles Reed who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively Say that the Defendant is Not Guilty of the Murder whereof he stands Indicted and that he did not fly for it ~ ~ ~

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Henry Swartz

Writings for Con 1877
 Geo: Breece " for Life
 Frederick Big " Big Burchall s
 Lewis Robinson "
 Hannah Breece;
 Bro: Wetherby " And the

Coining &
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul:
et de hoc Vc & Atty Gen^r Sim^r &c.

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz John
Hay, John Tolwell, Thomas Dacey, Joseph Burns, Samuel
Baker, William Ogden, John Smith, James Ryan, Joseph
Bispham, Joseph Hart, ~~and~~ Peter Buddy and Charles Reed who
being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn
and affirmed respectively say that the Defendant is ~~by~~ Not Guilty
as in the ~~of~~ Second Count of the Indictment against him is alledged
but Guilty as in all the other Counts of the Indictment against
him is alledged

And now to wit April 27. 1802 Judgment That ^{the}

Leonard Knight, chal^d by Hapson 9.
 John Williams, chal^d by Hapson 10.
 Christian Snyder, chal^d by Langdon 12
 John Hepler, chal^d by Hapson 11
 Charles Miller, challenged by Hapson 12
 Joseph Conrad, chal^d by Langdon 13
 David Weatherley, challenged by Hapson 13.
 Robert Mitcheson, challenged by Hapson 14.

Panel exhausted & Tales awarded.

Norris Stanley. sworn. 12

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Com.

v.

Breach.

Charge of Murder.

On motion of John W. Atkinead, the Court grant a rule on Jacob Beckart, Esq., Keeper of the Arch Street prison, to show cause why an attachment should not issue against him for disobeying the order of the Deputy Attorney General in refusing accept to the above named defendant. Said rule returnable on Saturday next at 10 o'clock, A. M.

June 17, 1839

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Sam
Doc

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the Defendant forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the Sum of Five Dollars that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of four Years from this Day and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as the Law directs, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed untill this Judgment is complied with

Respublica

vs

Alexander McDonald

} Forgery &c
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads
Guilty

And now April 20. 1802 Judgment. That Defendant forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the Sum of five Dollars that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of three Calendar Months from this day and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour fed, clothed and treated as the Law directs that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed untill this Judgment is complied with

Respublica

vs

Frederick Camnitz

} Uttering counterfeit Money
True Bill

Defendant not appearing to answer the above
Charge forfeited one hundred Dollars

Daniel Thurn his Surety forfeited one Hundred Dollars

neg con: J. S. Shaker. Esq

Respublica

vs

Cato Brown

} Burglary.
Ignoramus.

Respublica

vs

Agness Nancy

} Arson.
Ignoramus.

April Sessions 1802

Republica

vs.

Frederick Stock

} Larceny. Charged before Saml Ganigues Esquire

Defendant and Philip Stock lent in \$400

each conditioned for Defendants appearance
at the next Court of Quarter Sessions

Chas Lukens lent in \$100 for his appearance
next Sessions to prosecute &c

January Sessions 1804

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery held at Philadelphia for the City and County of Philadelphia on Monday the second day of January in the Year of our Lord One Thousand eight hundred and four and continued by Adjournment until the twenty sixth day of the same Month
Before

The Honorable John D. Cox Esquire, President of the Courts of Common Pleas of the first Circuit of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania consisting of the City and County of Philadelphia, and the Counties of Bucks, Montgomery and Delaware, and by virtue of his Office one of the Justices of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery of the said Counties, John Inskeep Jonathan Bayard Smith and Frederick Wilbert Esquires Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia aforesaid and by virtue of their Offices Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer for the same County

The Sheriff to wit John Barker Esquire having returned the Precept to him directed and thereupon the following Persons were sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors viz

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Traverse Jurors

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|---------------------|---------------------------------|
| 1 Timothy Andrews | 28 Henry DeForest |
| 2 John Souder | 29 John Atkin |
| 3 Nathan Thornton | 30 And th Frepaugh |
| 4 Asper Holmes | 31 Michael Fox |
| 5 Robert Hill | 32 Tho ^d Buckham |
| 6 Robert Allen | 33 Nicodemus Lloyd |
| 7 David Pickwire | 34 John Rink |
| 8 Jacob Thomas | 35 Ab th Naglows |
| 9 Samuel Reynolds | 36 George Wagner |
| 10 Jacob Herman | 37 Thomas Palmer |
| 11 William Thackara | 38 Alexander Purvis |
| 12 Aphonso Ireland | 39 Peter L Barry |
| 13 Lawrence Sink | 40 John Derbyshire |
| 14 John Moore | 41 John Gannon |
| 15 Alexander Jordan | 42 Joseph Randall |
| 16 Daniel Bussier | 43 Jacob Earnest |
| 17 George Simington | 44 David Evans Jun ^r |
| 18 Daniel Knight | 45 John Evans |
| 19 Charles Watson | 46 Benjamin Seull |
| 20 James Cummings | 47 Daniel Dumer |
| 21 Thomas Souder | 48 Neil McGinnis |
| 22 William Binder | 49 James Girvan |
| 23 Samuel Martin | 50 Thomas Hirst |
| 24 Peter Rob | 51 John How |
| 25 Henry Holdship | 52 John Mansell |
| 26 Joseph Morris | 53 John Gravenstone |
| 27 George Walkimer | 54 Philip Dick |
| | 55 Adam Ducey |

January Sessions 1847

Respublica

vs

Jenica Droper

}

Murder of her female infant Child
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul:

et de hoc &c Atty Genl^r & ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz^t John Derby-
shire, Nathan Atherton, David Evans Jun^r, Joseph Morris,
Peter L Berry, Thomas Limer, James Cummings, Daniel
Knight, John Evans, Andrew Fairbairn, Charles Watson and
Alexander Purvis who being duly impanelled, returned, elected
by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say
that the Defendant is Not Guilty in Manner and Form
as she stands indicted & " & " & "

Respublica

vs

Joseph Lewis

}

Murder of Andrew Manguean
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul:

et de hoc &c Atty Genl^r & ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz^t Peter L
Berry, Nathan Atherton, Daniel Knight, Aiphonso Ireland,
Alexander Purvis, Joseph Morris, John Derbyshire, John Bone
John Evans, Robert Allen, James Givran and Jacob Thompson
who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried

chosen

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chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defendant
is Not Guilty in Manner and Form as he stands indicted,

Respublica

vs

British Laws and
John Dixon

Murder of Charles White

True Bill as to British Laws

Ignoramus as to John Dixon

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul:

et de hoc &c. Alty Gen^{ry} s^{un} de ideo &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz John Abner
Thomas Hurst, James Givan, Peter L Berry, John Winsell
Alexander Purvis, Thomas St Souder, John Dalryshire, Joseph
Morris, Robert Mill, James Cummings and Jacob Earnest who
being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen,
sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defendant British
Laws is Not Guilty of Murder in the first Degree but Guilty
of Murder in the second Degree in Manner and Form as he
stands indicted

And now January 6. 1804 Judgment
That Defendant undergo a Servitude for the Term of fourteen
Years from this day (three years whereof shall be in Solitude in
the Penitentiary Cells) and during that Time be confined, kept
at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as the Law directs,
that he pay the Costs of Prosecution, and stand committed
until this Sentence is complied with

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Respublica

vs

Samuel Kergesheimer

Murder of Thomas Parsons
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non
Cul: et de hoc &c & Atty Gen. & ides &c.

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz^t Thomas Hunt
Peter Bobb, Adam Dwyer, Daniel Dufour, Abraham Wagdon,
John Souder, Neil McGinnis, Lawrence Sink, Henry Deforest,
Robert Hill, James Givan, Henry Wildship who being duly
impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and
affirmed respectively say that the Defendant is & Not Guilty
in Manner and Form as he stands indicted &

Respublica

vs

John Grace

Murder of Bridget Grace
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non
Cul: et de hoc &c & Atty Gen. & ides &c.

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz^t Daniel
Dunn, Daniel Knight, Thomas Souder, John Moore, John
Aiken, Lawrence Sink, Samuel Reynolds, & Nathan Atherton
John Evans, Robert Allen, & Alexander Davis, and Benjamin
Full who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot,
tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defend-
-ant is & Not Guilty of Murder; but Guilty of Voluntary Man-
-slaughter in Manner and Form as he stands indicted &

And now January 13. 1804 Judgment That Defendant
undergo a Servitude for the Term of Ten years from this day, and during

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that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as the Law directs, that he enter into Recognizance before one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Philadelphia, himself in the Sum of One Hundred Dollars and two sufficient Sureties in the Sum of three hundred Dollars each conditioned that he keep the Peace and be of good Behaviour for the Term of fifteen Years from this day that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is complied with ~ ~ ~

Respublica

vs

Conrad Schütz

Assault with Intent to murder Daniel
Sutter jun. True Bill. ~

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul
et de hoc & c. Atty Gen. & c.

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz Daniel
Dunn, Joseph Randle, Jacob Earnest, Timothy Andrews, Elisha
Holmes, Nathan Thornton, John Atkin, Samuel Reynolds,
John Evans, John Duryshire, John Gravenstone and John Howe
who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen
sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defendant is
Guilty of the Assault with Intent to murder as in the first
Count of the Indictment against him is alledged but Not
Guilty of the Assault and Battery as in the second Count
of the Indictment against him is alledged ~

And now January 9. 1804 Judgment That
Defendant forfeit and pay to the Commonwealth the Sum of

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Twenty Dollars, that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of three Calendar Months from this day and during that Time be confined kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and treated as the Law directs, and at the Expiration of the said three Months enter into recognizance before one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Philadelphia himself in the Sum of two hundred Dollars and two sufficient Sureties, each in the like Sum conditioned that he keep the peace and be of good Behaviour for the Term of one year that he pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is complied with ~ ~ ~

Respublica

vs

Arson

Thomas Rumford

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non

Cul: et de hoc &c atty Gen Sum &c ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz Andrew Thompson, Joseph Randle, Peter Bibb, Daniel Knight, William Thackara, David Flickwire, Jacob Earnest, Nathan Atterton, Peter L Berry, Henry Holdship, Timothy Andrews and John Souder who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by ballot tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and Form as he stands indicted ~

And now January 16. 1804 Judgment That Defendant undergo a Servitude for the Term of five Years from this day (six calendar Months whereof in the Penitentiary House) and during that Time be confined kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed

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clothed, and treated as the Law directs, that he pay the
Costs of Prosecution and stand committed until this
Judgment is complied with ~ ~ ~

Respublica

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Thomas Ruusford

Burglary,
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads

non cul et de hoc de Atty Gen Genl de

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz Andrew
Faypaugh, Joseph Randle, Peter Brick, Daniel Knight
William Thackara, David Flickwire, Jacob Earnest, Nathan
Atherton, Peter L Perry, Henry Holdship, Timothy Andrews
and John Sanders who being duly impanelled, returned, elected
by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say
that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and Form as he
stands indicted ~

And now January 16. 1804 Judgment
That Defendant undergo a Servitude for the Term of one
Year from and after the expiration of five Years from this
day (being the Term of Servitude which he has been adjudged
to undergo upon a previous Conviction of Burglary) two
Calendar Months whereof in the Penitentiary House; and
during that Time be confined kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed
and treated as the Law directs, that he pay the Costs of
prosecution, and stand committed until this Judgment is
complied with ~ ~ ~

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Respublica

vs

Tinea Draper

Misdemeanor

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non.
cul: et de hoc &c atty Gen^l Sim^r &c ideo &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz^t Insher
Holmes, Henry Holdship, Peter Bobb, William Thackara, Dan-
iel Knight, Daniel Dunn, Jacob Earnest, Nathaniel Atherton
James Gorvan, George Wagner, George Simington and John Rowe
who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried
chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defend-
ant is Guilty in Manner and Form as she stands indicted.

And now January 16. 1804 Judgment
That Defendant undergo a Servitude for the Term of four years
from this day (six Calendar Months, wherof in the Penitentiary
House) and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour
fed, clothed, and treated as the Law directs, that she pay the
Costs of Prosecution, and stand committed until this Judgment
is complied with ~ ~ ~

Respublica

vs

Joseph Jefferies

Uttering counterfeit Money

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul:
et de hoc &c atty Gen^l Sim^r &c ideo &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz^t Andrew
Fenpaugh

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Peter Bobb, Adam Ducey, Henry Holdship, Thomas Palmer,
Jacob Earnest, Daniel Dunn, Daniel Knight, William
Thackara, Nathan Atterton, Abraham Waglund, John
Atten who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by
Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say
that the Defendant is not Guilty in manner and
Form as he stands indicted.

Respublica
vs
Lidia Henry } Attaining a Counterfeit Eagle to Henry
Kucher

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul: et
de hoc &c Atty Gen^l sim &c ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz^t David
Flickmore, Daniel Knight, Joseph Randall, John Mansell
Peter Bobb, George Wagner, Samuel Reynolds, Peter L Berry
Timothy Andrews, Charles Watson, John How and Alphonso C
Ireland who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot
tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defen-
ant is Guilty in Manner and Form as she stands indicted.

Whereupon a Motion being made by
Mr Dallas in Arrest of Judgment Curia advisare vult and
adjourned until Saturday next (the 21st inst) at five o'clock
in the Afternoon; At which Time The Court met pursuant
to adjournment, and heard the arguments of Counsel on the

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Motion And thereupon Curia advisare vult, and adjourned until Thursday next (26 instant) at ten o'clock in the Morning

And now January 26. 1804 Judgment That Defend-
ant undergo a Servitude for the Term of four Years from this day
(four Months whereof in the Penitentiary Cells) and during that
time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and treated as
the Law directs, that she pay the Costs of Prosecution, and stand
committed until this Judgment is complied with

Repubblica

vs

Lotitia Henry

} Uttering a counterfeit Eagle to Henry
Abbott

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul: et de
hoc &c Atty Gen^r Sim^r &c

Atty Gen^r non vult utt: pros: &c

Henry Abbott not appearing to testify against Lotitia Henry on
the above Charge forfeited One hundred Dollars, Recog: cor:
Michael Kellegas Esquire November 25. 1803. &c &c

Repubblica

vs

Lotitia Henry

} Uttering counterfeit Money to Susanna
Fruett

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul: et de
hoc &c Atty Gen^r Sim^r &c id eo &c

And thereupon a Jury being called come viz David Flickiere
Daniel

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Daniel Knight, Joseph Randall, John Mansels,
Peter Robb, George Wagner, Samuel Reynolds, Peter
L. Berry, Timothy Andrews, Charles Watson, John
How, and Euphrosia C. Ireland who being duly impanelled
returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed
respectively say that the Defendant is Not Guilty in Manner
and Form as she stands indicted

Respublica
vs
Leticia Henry } Uttering a Counterfeit Eagle
Ignoramus

Respublica
vs
Flora, a Negro } Arson
True Bill

Defendant being arraigned and standing
mute, Plea of non Cul: et de hoc &c entered
Atty Gen Sum &c idco &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz James
Girvan, John Evans, Neil Mc Ginnis, John How, Joseph
Randall, Jacob Earnest, John Holmes, Daniel Bussier,
Samuel Reynolds, Robert Allen, Joseph Morris, and
Thomas Mc Souders who being duly impanelled, returned
elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively
say that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and Form

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as she stands indicted

And now January 4. 1804 Judgment
That Defendant undergo a Servitude for the Term of twelve Years
from this day (two years whereof she is to be confined in Solitude)
and during that time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed,
clothed, and treated as the Law directs, that she pay the Costs
of Prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is
complied with

Respublica

vs

Magdalen a Negro

Arson

True Bill

Defendant being arraigned pleads non

Cul: et de hoc &c Atty Gen^r sum^r &c ides &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz^t Peter Bobb, John
Manwell, Henry Deforest, John Gernon, Thomas Hurst, Henry
Holdship, Robert Hill, & Aphonsus Chittand, Lawrence Sink, Daniel
Dunn, & Nathan Atherton, Daniel Knight, who being duly impanelled
returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respect-
-ively say that the Defendant is Guilty in Manner and Form
as she stands indicted

And now January 4. 1804 Judgment.

That Defendant undergo a Servitude for the Term of five years (one
whereof in Solitude) and during that Time be confined, kept at
hard Labour, fed, clothed and treated as the Law directs, That
she pay the Costs of Prosecution, and stand committed until this
Judgment is complied with

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Respublica

vs

James Gordon, John Owens
John Stewart & Euphemia
Chambers alias Euphemia

Burglary

Bill found at last Year & Term

Gordon

Defendants being arraigned

James Gordon pleads Guilty, and John
Stewart and Euphemia Gordon severally
plead non cul: et de hoc &c Atty Genr
&c idem &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz Joseph Morris,
Thomas Hurst, Daniel Knight Charles Watson, Adam Ducey
John Derbyshire, George Wagner, William Thackara, Benjamin
Kull, Daniel Dunn, Alexander Purvis and Andrew Freyhaugh
who being duly impanelled, returned elected by Ballot, tried,
chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defendants
John Stewart and Euphemia Gordon are severally Not Guilty
in Manner and Form as they stand indicted.

And now January 4. 1804 Judgment That
Defendant James Gordon restore that ^{Part of the} Property stolen, which has
not been restored, to Jean Bouvier the right Owner, or pay
him Two Thousands one hundred and eighty three Dollars the
value thereof, that he forfeit and pay the like Value to the
Commonwealth, that he undergo a Servitude for the Term
of six Years from this day (one whereof in Solitude) and during
that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and
treated as the Law directs, that he pay the Costs of Prosecution

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and stands committed until this Judgment is complied with

Respublica

vs

Patrick McCloskey

Margaret Henry &

Catharine Curren

Burglary

True Bill

Defendants being arraigned severally
plead non Cul: et de hoc &c & Jtly Gen Curren

&c &c &c

And thereupon a Jury being called came viz George Simington, Alphonso Ireland, Peter L Berry, William Thackara, Andrew Trepaugh, Henry Defnest, Jacob Earnest, Joseph Randall, Peter Robb, John More, David Flickwire and Nathan Atherton who being duly impanelled, returned, elected by Ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed respectively say that the Defendants Margaret Henry and Catharine Curren are severally Not Guilty of the Burglary as in the first Count of the Indictment against them is alledged but Guilty of receiving the Goods knowing them to have been stolen as in the second Count of the Indictment against them is alledged. And that the Defendant Patrick McCloskey is Guilty in a Manner and Form as he stands indicted.

And now January 17. 1804 Judgment
That Patrick McCloskey, restore the Property stolen if not already
restored to John Stucker the right Owner, or pay him the Sum of
Six hundred and thirty five Dollars, ^{and sixty eight Cents} the value thereof, that he
forfeit

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forfeit and pay the like value to the Commonwealth, that he undergo a Servitude for the Term of seven years from this day (one year whereof in the Penitentiary Cells) and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and treated as the Law directs - That Margaret Henry forfeit and pay the Sum of five Dollars to the Commonwealth, That she undergo a Servitude for the Term of six calendar Months from this day, and during that time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and treated as the Law directs - That Catharine Curran forfeit and pay the Sum of five Dollars to the Commonwealth, that she undergo a Servitude for the Term of six calendar Months from this day, and during that Time be confined, kept at hard Labour, fed, clothed, and treated as the Law directs, That the Defendants severally pay the Costs of Prosecution and be severally committed until this Judgment is complied with ~ ~ ~

Respublica

vs

Charles Shippe

Rape upon Sarah Limes
Ignoramus ~

Respublica

vs

Samuel Garrigue Esquire

Misdemeanor

Ignoramus ~

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Republica

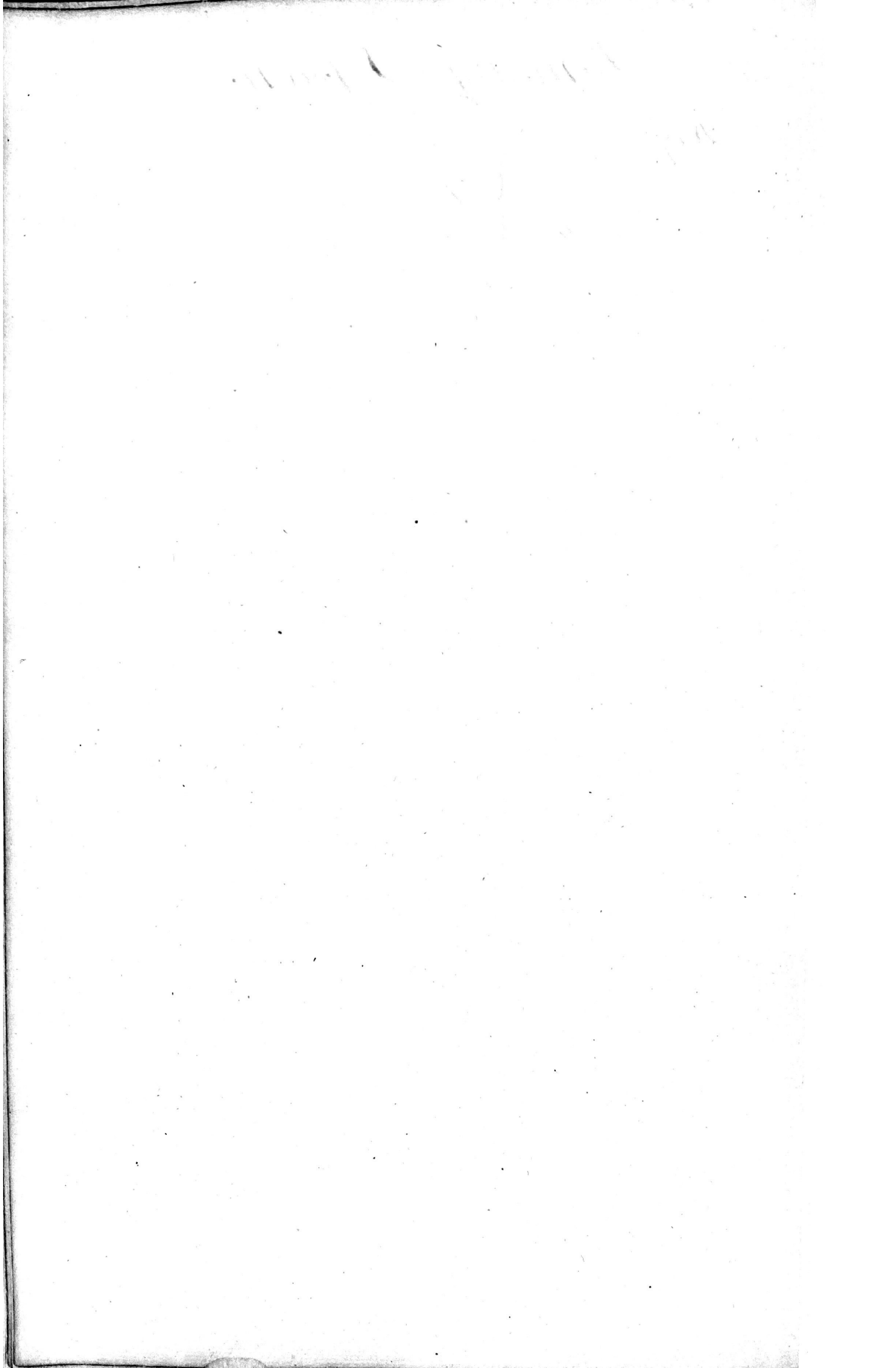
vs

John Battis

}

Uttering a counterfeit Dollar

Ignoramus.



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At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery held at Philadelphia for the City and County of Philadelphia on Monday the Thirteenth day of January in the Year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six and continued from day to day by adjournment until the Twenty sixth of the same month

Before

The Honorable William Tilghman Esquire, President of the Courts of Common Pleas of the first Circuit of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania consisting of the City and County of Philadelphia and the Counties of Bucks, Montgomery and Delaware and by virtue of his office one of the Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery of the said Counties Frederick Wolbert and Joseph P. Weston Esquires Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia and by virtue of their offices Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery for the County of Philadelphia

The Sheriff Viz. John Barker Esq. returns the Precept to him directed and the following persons were sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors viz.

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|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| Foreman. Isaac Norrell. a | 8. John M. Price. s |
| 2. Edward George. s | 9. Jacob Beideman. s |
| 3. William Murdock. s | 10. Elisha Gordon. a. |
| 4. William Roberts. s | 11. Heath Norbury. a |
| 5. John Burns. s | 12. William Warner. a |
| 6. Alexander Martin s | 13. Joseph Stann. a |
| 7. Christ. Hergesheimer. s | |

Defaulters. fined five Dollars each

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| 1. Alexander Filson. | 5. William Chancellor | |
| 2. John Lardner | 6. William Rags | 9. Stephen Girard |
| 3. Stephen Duttlch | 7. Elliston Perrot | 10. John Shee |
| 4. Robert Montgomery. | 8. Daniel Groves. | 11. Nathan Harper. |

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Republica
 vs
 Lemuel Franklin

} Murder of Theresa Doran.
 } Vera Billa.

Witnesses.
 Philip S. Physick. s.
 Mary Doran. s.
 Michael Doran. s.
 Bath^l. Harkins. s.
 John Monges. s.
 Ant^l. Mattheus. s.
 Robert Wharton s.
 for Dft.
 John Bardon. s.
 Geo. Smith. s.
 William Blair. s.
 Jos^l. Shanklin. s.
 Am^l. Louber. s.
 Tho^l. Reimer. s.
 Phil^l. Kelly. s.
 Adam Cury. s.

Defendant being arraigned pleads non
 cul: et de hoc &c. Atty Genl. Sim ides &c
 And thereupon a Jury being called
 came viz. William Oliver, Moses Still, Henry
 Voight Jun^r, Gideon Cox, Benjamin Davis
 Michael Miller, John Porter, Benjamin
 Still, John Wirt, George Halberstadt,
 Thomas Williams and Isaac Martin, who
 being duly impannelled, returned, elected
 by ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed
 respectively say, that the Defendant is
 Not Guilty of Murder but Guilty of
 voluntary Manslaughter in manner
 and form as he stands indicted

And now, to wit, 23 January 1806 the
 Defendant being brought forward produces his Pardon
 in Arrest of Judgment upon which the Defendant
 was accordingly discharged.

Republica
 vs
 Cato Grey

} Murder of William Wilson.
 } Vera Billa

Witnesses
 Tho^l. Gardner. sw
 Mary Johnson. sw
 Hannah Spruce. sw
 Geo. Dennis. of
 Elijah Griffith. sw.

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul:
 et de hoc po. se. sup. pat. Atty Genl. sim, id &c
 And thereupon a Jury being called
 came, viz. Benjamin Still, Isaac Culp,
 Malcom McCloud, Henry Voight Jun^r. John
 Porter, John Chamberlain, Thomas Williams, William
 Nutt, John O'Harra, John Wirt, Charles Rogers, and
 Samuel Salter, who being duly impannelled, returned
 elected by ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed
 respectively say that the Defendant Cato Grey is

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not guilty of Murder in the first degree, but
guilty of Murder in the second degree in
manner and form as he stands indicted.

And now the fourteenth of January
1806, Judgment, that the Defendant undergo
a servitude for the term of seven years from
this day, (one twelfth part whereof shall be in
solitude in the Penitentiary Cells,) and during
that time, be confined, kept at hard labour, fed
clothed and treated as the law directs, that he
pay the Costs of Prosecution and stand committed
until this Sentence is complied with

Republica	}	Murder of Catherine Keyser?
vs		
Jacob Miller & Elizabeth Miller		

Witnesses

Christ. Mason of
Mr. Hergshimer, sw
Barnaby Hugart, sw
Adam Rickart, sw
Henry Schubert, sw
Isaac Fupper, sw
Jacob Finner, sw
Chas. Adams, sw
Jas. Pittenhous, sw
Jas. Harltin, sw.
Patty Barrault, sw
for Dft.

Cath. Hugart, sw
Elij. Clarkson, sw
Adam Bordley, sw
Rich. Engle, sw

The Defendants being arraigned severally
plead non. cul. col de hoc &c. Atty Gen. Sen &c

And thereupon a Jury being called
came viz. Michael Miller, Thomas Williams,
Moses Hills, John Wise, John Chambelain,
Isaac Culp, John Porter, Robert Marson,
Enoch Allen, Henry Coight Junr. Malcom
McCloud and John Perry. who being
duly empannelled, returned, elected by
ballot, tried, chosen, sworn and affirm-
ed, respectively say, that the Defendants

Jacob Miller and Elizabeth Miller are not
guilty in manner and form as they stand
indicted.

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Republica

vs

John Williams

Murder of Jane Williams.

Vera Pilla

Witnesses

Mary Harrington, sw,

Gertrude Tschlenig, sw,

Mary Winters, sw

Joseph Tower, af

John Nagle, sw

Henry Hefar, sw

William Nelson sw

for 5ft.

Ab^m Winters sw

Ans. Finners, sw

Christina Finners, sw

Nathan Coulson sw

Nancy Finners, sw

M^m Wonderly, sw

Sophia Wonderly, sw

Defendant being arraigned pleads non
cul. et de hoc &c. Atty Genl. nisi id &c

And then upon a Jury being called
came, viz, John Wise, Joseph Norman,
Joseph Freiker, Moses Hills, Samuel
Salter, Edmund Hollingshead, George
Halberstadt, Robert Manson, Isaac

Culp, Thomas Brown, Richard George,
and Enoch Allen, who being duly em-
pannelled, returned, elected by ballot,
tried, chosen, sworn and affirmed,

respectively say, that the Defendant John
Williams, is not guilty of Murder, but guilty
of Voluntary Manslaughter in manner and
form as he stands indicted.

And now the seventeenth of January
1806, Judgment, that the Defendant undergo
a servitude for the term of two years from this
day, and during that time, be confined, kept at
hard labour, fed clothed and treated as the law
directs, and at the expiration of the said two
years enter into Recognizance, himself in the sum
of Two hundred Dollars, and two sufficient
sureties each in the sum of Two hundred and
fifty Dollars conditioned that he be of good
behaviour for the term of one year, that he
pay the Costs of Prosecution, and stand com-
mitted until this sentence is complied with.

Republica

vs

Rachael Thompson

Murder of Infant Male child

Ignoramus.

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Respublica
vs
Elijah Battis

Murder of Sarah Battis True Bill
 It being arraigned pleads non cul an
 Attorney General con dem

Witnesses

Elij. Bennett sw *Phabe Stokes* sw
Ans. Elliot sw *Wm. A. Stokes* sw
Ann Carter sw *Ann Maria Weaver* of
Wm. Nesbit sw *Dr. Birdwell* sw
Ans. Hamilton sw *Mary Robinson* sw
Joseph Smith sw *Meggy Harman* sw

Jury. Enoch Allen, John Shubely,
 Sam. L. Salter, Gideon Cox
 Malcolm McCleod, Richard George
 John Wren, Edmund Hollingshead
 Moses Hills, Thomas Brown
 Chris. Ottinger, Geo. Halberstadt.

19 January 1806 Verdict, Guilty of Murder in the second degree.

24 January 1806. Judgment that the Defendant be con-
 fined for the term of seven years from this day in the ~~the~~
 public Jail of Philadelphia, one twelfth part of which
 term, he shall be kept in the solitary cells of the said
 Jail, and for the residue of the said term he shall be
 kept at hard labour, that he shall be fed clothed and
 treated as the law directs, that he shall pay the costs
 of prosecution and be committed till this Judgment
 is complied with.

Respublica
vs
Lydia Wickton

Murder of her male Bastard child.
 Ignoramus.

Respublica
vs
Samuel Craig

Forgery. Bill of November Sessions
 1804.
 24 January 1806 Not Pro by the
 Attorney General.

Respublica
vs
Samuel Craig

Forgery. Bill of Nov. Sessions. 1804.
 Defendant pleads non cul an
 January 14. 1806 Defendant withdraws his
 Plea as to the Court for uttering and acknowledges himself
 guilty there on. 14 Jan'y 1806. Judgment, that Defendant
 undergo a servitude of five years from this day in the public Jail
 of the City and County of Philad. he be confined fed and clothed as
 the law directs one half of which time he is to be kept in the
 penitentiary solitary cells, the residue of the said term of five
 years he is to be kept at hard labour, that he pay

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a fine of fifty dollars to the Commonwealth, pay the costs of prosecution and be committed until the Judgment is complied with.

Respublica

¹⁰⁹
John Gottliebson, alias
John Gottlieb Wernicke
& John Nicholas Boyer

Forgery. True Bill.

Defendants severally plea non cul
Attorney Genl. rem id. au

Witness
Jm. Smith. sw
Mary Hansell. sw

Joseph Norman sw
Fred^r. Buckhard. sw
Jm. Hansell. sw
Jury, Gideon Cox, William Oliver, George
Halberstadt, William Nitz, Rodrick Provost
Moses Hills, Benjamin Davis, John O'Hara
Malcom McCord, Enoch Allen, Isaac Martin
and William Smith.

24 January 1806 Verdict, John Gottliebson, alias John
Gottlieb Wernicke, Guilty, Nicholas Boyer not Guilty.
Co. dii. Judgment, that John Gottliebson be confined in
the public jail of Philadelphia for the term of seven
years from this day, one twelfth of which term he shall
be kept in the solitary cells of the said jail, and for the
residue thereof at hard labour, that he be fed clothed
and treated as the law direct, pay the costs of prose-
cution and be committed till this Judgment is com-
plied with.

Respublica

¹¹
John Gottlieb alias
John Gottlieb Wernicke
& John Nicholas Boyer

Forgery. True Bill as to John
Gottlieb alias John G. Wernicke
Ignoramus as to J. N. Boyer.
John Gottlieb alias John G. Wernicke
pleads non cul in Atty Genl. v. au

Witness

Geo. Clymer. sw
Mary Hansell sw
Joseph Norman sw
John Buckhard. sw
Jm. Hansell. sw

Same Jury as above Re^d vs Same Offs

24 January 1806 Verdict Not Guilty.

Respublica

¹¹
John Gottliebson alias
John Gottlieb Wernicke
& John Nicholas Boyer

Forgery.

Ignoramus.

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Respublica
vs
William Richardson
& Daniel Miller

Coining. True Bill.
William Richardson one of the
Defts pleads non cul am Atty Gen Senior
Miller Recog. forfeited 21 January 1806
and J. Sink his Bail -

Witness
Jno Miller. s.
Step. S. Walker. s.
Jno Clark. s.
James Hudson. s.

Jury. John O'Harra, Jacob Hemmer, Joseph
Fricker, Richard George, John Chamberlain
Michael Miller, George Holberstadt, Thomas
Brown, Gideon Cox, William Smith
Robert Manson, Charles Rogers.

21. January 1806. Verdict. Guilty. Eo. die Judgment
that the Defendant, William Richardson, be confined
for the term of five years from this day in the public
jail of Philadelphia, during one twelfth part of which
time he is to be kept in the solitary cells of the said
jail, and for the residue thereof at hard labour, that he
be fed clothed and treated as the law directs, pay the
costs of prosecution and be committed until this judg-
ment is complied with.

Respublica
vs
Finowles Pepper

Uttering a counterfeit Quarter of
a Dollar. True Bill.
Def. pleads non cul am Atty Gen Senior

Cath. Miller. s.
Jno Miller. s.
Hend. Tod. s.
Jno Clarke. s.

Jury. Robert Bloor, Junr, George Halberstadt
John Porter, Isaac Martin, Malcolin McClaud,
Wm E. Bartling, Samuel Crawford, John Shubuk
Benjamin Davis, John Wine, John O'Harra, and
Thomas Williams

25 January 1807 Verdict. Not Guilty.

Respublica
vs
Sarah Shepherd
Sarah Brown &
Mary Lewis

Arson. True Bill.
Defts severally plead non cul am
Atty Genl. com id am

Jury Joseph Norman, Michael Miller,
Christopher Ottinger, Edmund Hollingshead
Gideon Cox, Joseph Purpile, Wm Oliver,
Charles Rogers, Enoch Allen, Richard George
Wm Nutt, Rodenick Provost.

Jeremiah Douglass. s.
Judith Martin. s.
Sarah Barker. s.
Mary Campbell. s.
Wm Liddle. s.

25 January 1806. Verdict. Not Guilty.

Witness
Jno Springer. s.
Robt. W. Lee. s.
James Pratt. s.

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Respublica } Arson. True Bill.
 Mary Shuler } Def. pleads non cul an Atty Gen. & mini an

Witness
 Wm Young. s Jury. Benjamin Stille, Moses Hills, Joseph
 John Young. s Norman, Samuel Salter, Christopher Ottinger,
 Bath. Sink. s Enock Allen, George Flattstadt, Thomas William
 Mrs Winsley. s Benjamin Davis, William Nutz, John &
 Geo Bastian. s Chamberlain, William Smith
 Eliz. Nelson. s
 Ann Thomas s
 Mrs Wallace s 22 January 1806. Verdict. Not Guilty
 Walter. Fortune s
 Mary Casswell s

Respublica } Arson -
 George Campbell } Ignoramus.

Respublica } Burglary. True Bill
 James Turner } Def. pleads guilty.

15 January 1806. Judgment that the Defendant restore the property stolen if not already restored, or pay fifty one dollars being the value thereof to Francis Gurray the true owner thereof, pay the like sum to the Commonwealth - be confined in the public jail of the City and County of Philadelphia for the term of three years from this day one twelfth part of which term he shall be confined in the solitary cells of the said jail and for the residue thereof be kept at hard labour, be confined fed and clothed as the law directs, pay the costs of prosecution and be committed til this judgment is complied with.

Respublica } Burglary. True Bill.
 James Turner } Def. pleads guilty.

15 January 1806. Judgment, that the Defendant restore the property stolen if not already restored or pay twenty five dollars and forty cents being the value thereof to Thomas Humphreys the true owner thereof pay the like sum to the Commonwealth - be confined in the public Jail of Philadelphia for the term

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term of two years from the fifteenth day of January one thou-
sand eight hundred and nine, one twelfth part of which time
he shall be confined in the solitary cells of the said jail and
for the remainder thereof kept at hard labour be confined
fed and clothed as the law directs, pay the costs of pro-
secution and stand committed until this Judgment
is complied with.

Respublica } *Burglary. True Bill.*

James Turner } *Def. pleads non cul an Atty Genl. v. m. an*
Ino. Mason of } *Jury. Christopher Ottinger, Isaac Culp*
Sam. L. Richards J. of } *Samuel Salter, Malcolm Mc Cloud, Edmund*
Hollingshead, Joseph Freiker, Charles Rogers,
William Nutz, Richard George, Robert Manson
William Smith, Enoch Allen.

15 January 1806. Verdict Guilty. Ec diu. Judgment
that the Defendant restore the property stolen if not al-
ready done or pay Eighteen dollars and Eighty cents being
the value thereof to John Mason the true owner thereof
pay the like sum to the Commonwealth, be confined in
the public jail of Philadelphia for the term of two years
from the fifteenth of January one thousand eight hun-
dred and eleven, one twelfth part of which time he shall
be kept in the solitary cells of the said jail, and for the
residue thereof be kept at hard labour, be confined fed
and clothed as the law directs, pay the costs of prosecution
and be committed until this sentence is complied with.

Respublica } *Burglary True Bill*

Alexander Taylor } *Def. pleads non cul an Atty Genl. v. m. an*
Sylvester Rowley. } *Challenges waived by consent.*

Wm White sw. } *Jury. Robert Bloer Junr, Thomas Williams,*
Sylvester Rowley J. } *Christopher Ottinger, John Porter, Enoch Allen*
William Nutz, John Rice, John Hubely
Moses Hills, Wm Oliver, Joseph Norman
and Samuel Salter

21. January. 1806 Verdict Not Guilty

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John Williams }

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vs
John Jones, Charles
Naglee, Peter Fritz
and Wm Malone
George U Odenheimer
and Andrew Rush.

Misdemeanour, True Bill
All the Defendants except A. Rush
plead non cul an. Atty Gen vni an

Jury. Richard George, Michael Miller,
Robert Mansion, John Porter, Joseph Purple

^{wit} Robt. Wharton, a ^{wit} Jas. App. a.
Mat. Carey. S. Lewis Taylor. S.
Mrs Fries. a. Mrs Douglas. S.
Ad² Traganai, a Joseph Perry. S.
Pro. S. Hales. S. James Cuckshank. S.

John Chamberlain, Joseph Fricke,
Samuel Crawford, Thomas Williams
John Wier, Robert Blair, Jun, John

Shubely.

24. January 1806. Verdict, John Jones Guilty on the
second Count and not guilty as to the other counts,
the other Defendants, to wit, George U Odenheimer, Charles
Nagle, Peter Fritz, and William Malone not guilty.
Co. di. Judgment, that the Defendant pay a fine of
twenty dollars to the Commonwealth, be imprisoned
in the jail of Philadelphia for two weeks from this
day, pay the Costs of Prosecution and be committed
till this judgment is complied with.

Respublica vs Misdemeanour. True Bill.
Lydia Wickton. } Ift plead non cul an Atty Gen vni an

Jury. Benjamin Davis, Joseph Norman, John
Shubely, Richard George, William Oliver, Christopher
Ottinger, Isaac Martin, Samuel Crawford, Gideon
Cox, Edmund Hollingshead, Enoch Allen, Charles
Moore.

20 January 1806 Verdict Guilty. and co. di. Judgment
that the Defendant pay a fine of one dollar to the Com^{ty}
be imprisoned in the public jail of Philadelphia for the
term of three calendar months from this day, pay the
costs of prosecution and be committed until this
judgment is complied with.

Respublica vs Misdemeanour. True Bill
Rachel Thompson. } Ift plead non cul an Atty Gen vni an

Jury. Robert Blair, Jun, Thomas Williams,
Christopher Ottinger, John Porter, Enoch Allen
William Fritz, John Pui, John Shubely,
Moses Gilly, Wm Oliver, Joseph Normand
and Samuel Salter.

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21 January 1806. Verdict Guilty. 24 Jan¹⁸⁰⁶ Judgment that the Defendant, be imprisoned at hard labour in the public jail of Philadelphia for the term of one year from this day, and be fed clothed and treated as the law directs, that she pay the costs of Prosecution and be committed till this judgment is complied with.

18. January 1806. Robert Forsythe and Richard Ryan sent each in two hundred dollars for the appearance of Robert Forsythe at the next Oyer and Terminer at Montgomery County.

Commonwealth	}	20 January 1806.
Edmond Russell		Rape, Witnesses Recognizances forfeited
Ex ^o Fowler		and respited till Next Oyer and Terminer
Same	}	27 January 1807. Sent this Bill to J. B. McKean the Attorney General.
Same		Robbery
		Do Do.

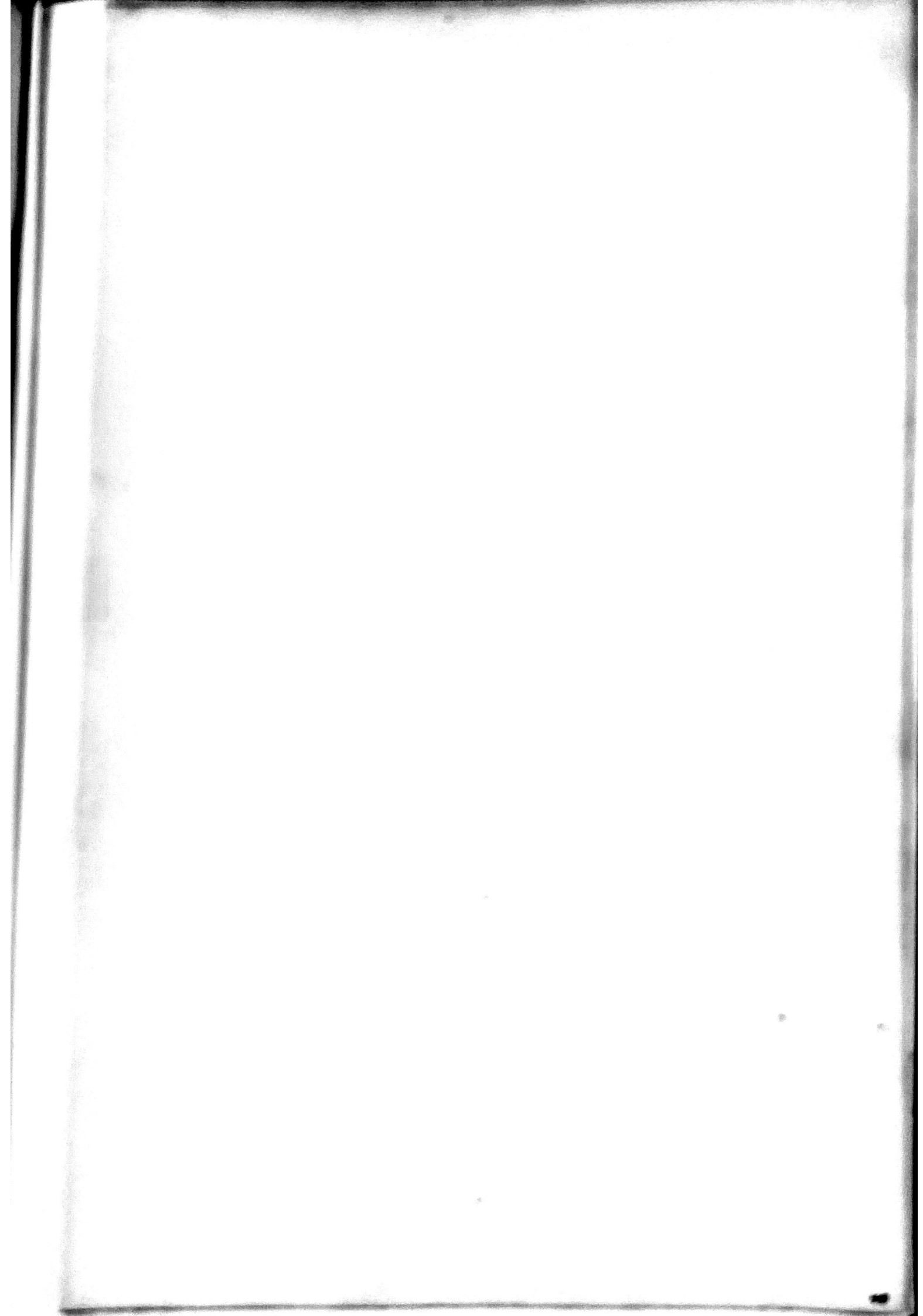
20. January. 1806. Daniel Newhouse sent in five hundred dollars to keep the peace and be of good behav^r six months from this day.

24. January 1806. John Nicholas Boyer is committed till he find security to appear at the next Mayor's Court, to be held at the City of Philadelphia and in the mean time to keep the Peace and be of good behaviour himself in one thousand dollars and two good sureties in five hundred dollars each.

" " " Mary Hamell sent in one hundred dollars to testify against John N. Boyer at the next Mayor's Court.

24 " " Jacob Pote and Mary Pote sent each in one thousand dollars for Jacob Pote's appearance next oyer & Terminer

13 Sent this Bill to the Attorney Genl. J. B. McKean 27 January 1807.



June Sessions. 1807.

At a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery held at Philadelphia for the City and County of Philadelphia on Monday the eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven and continued from day to day by adjournment until the thirteenth of the same Month

Before

The Honorable Jacob Rush Esquire President of the Court of Common Pleas of the first District of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania consisting of the City and County of Philadelphia and by virtue of his Office one of the Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery of the said County Jonathan Bayard Smith, Frederick Wolbert and Jacob F. Weston Esquires Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County of Philadelphia and virtue of their offices Justices of the Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Goal Delivery for the County of Philadelphia

The Sheriff, to wit, John Barker Esquire, returns the Precept to him directed and the following Persons were sworn and affirmed as Grand Jurors. Viz,

Foreman, Joseph Sims	John Barker
Lewis Provost	Robert Watkins
Philip Sheaff	Charles White
William Hunter	Christian Sheety
Joshua Edwards	Isaac Morton
Robert Kennedy	Jacob Heyberger
Daniel Shoemaker	Lewis Taylor
David Shetzler	16. John Savage.

The following Jurors were returned by the Sheriff not found.

Joseph Rapen	Cadwalloides Evans
Charles Carr	4 David Bacon

The following Jurors were excused from serving by the Court for the following reasons. Viz.

John Morgan	} Illness	Windle Wendling.	Infirm & Aged
John Newman		4. Ferguson McSwain.	Blind

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Traverse Jurors

Thomas Brown
Walter Lyle
John A. Mc Mullin

Thomas Hutton
Frederick Holtzbecker
William Smith

Jacob Edenborn
Philip Garret
John Livezey
Samuel Hergesheimer

Isaac Wikoff

David Lewis

John Beck

James Barclay

Jacob Smith

William J. Govett

John Geyer

Benjamin Mc Randles

19. John F. Gebler

The following Jurors who were returned and sworn to or served by the Sheriff's officers, Cornman and Fagundes were fined twenty dollars each 8 June 1807.

Daniel W. Cox, John Harland, John Bennett, Andrew Service
Ely Carby, Hugh Holmes, William Lehman, John Folwell
J. George Armoryd,

The following Jurors were excused from their attendance and fines by the Court.

Richard Tunis (Sick) Adam Seybert (An apothecary and Physician) James McCarrack (Bodily Infirmary) William Martin (a convict) James Robinson (Alien) Thomas Living (Sickness of his Family) Conrad Hanse (served as Juror last Oyer & Terminer February 1807) Joseph Fuddah (Aged and infirm) Samuel Panecast (served as a Juror last Oyer & Terminer Feb. 1807) Dockeray Smith (An alien) John Delavon (Deaf). 11.

The following Jurors were returned not served, not found &

Peter Kins	Jacob Strombeck	William Waln
Adam Pamel	Nathanial Walker	Robert Harris
John Smith	Christian Gravenstere	David Earl
James Gardette	Patrick Kelly	William Abbot
Walter Thompson	Joseph Dierworth	John E. Adduck
John Tremels	James Gardner	David January, notice
Thomas Donako	Andrew Cox	was left at his house but

the officer informed he had gone to East Indies. 10th Hamilton, notice left at his house but officer informed he had gone to New Orleans.

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1. Commonwealth } Murder of Daniel Dougherty the Younger
vs } True Bill.
Daniel Dougherty }

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul et de hoc an
Attorney General similiter idem an

Commonwealth } Burglary. True Bill.
2. Maria Collins }

Defendant being arraigned pleads non cul et de hoc po se an
Attorney General similiter idem an
Wit. Van. Shoemaker. et.

9. June 1807. Jury. James Barclay, William J. Gantt, James
Geyer, Dockway Smith, Thomas Brown, Philip Garret, Isaac
Wikoff, John R. McMullen, John Lively, Jacob Edenborn
John F. Gebler, John Beck,

Co. dei. Verdict Not Guilty.

Commonwealth } Burglary. True Bill
3. London Hilton } Defendant being arraigned pleads
Guilty.

13 June 1807. Judgment that Defendant forfeit ^{to this Commonwealth} all and
singular the lands and tenements, goods and chattels of
which he was seized and possessed at the time of the crime
being committed or at any time afterwards, and before
conviction that he undergo a servitude in the Jail of
Philadelphia for the term of one year from this
day and during that time be confined, kept at
hard labour, fed clothed and treated as the law di-
rects pay the costs of Prosecution and be commit-
ted until this Judgment is in all things com-
plied with.

Commonwealth vs John South John Holmes & Daniel Harris	} Burglary and Larceny. True Bill Defendants being arraigned severally plead non cul et de hoc po. se. sup. pat. Attorney General sem. idio den.
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11. June 1807. John Holmes and Daniel Harris waive
their challenge. and ^{thereupon} ~~and accordingly~~ a Jury was called

vs. John Livezey, Jacob Smith, Thomas Hutton, Walter
Lyle, John F. Heller, John R. Mc Mullen, Samuel
Hergesheimer, Frederick Holtzbecker, Benjamin Mc-
Randle, Thomas Brown, John Beck and John Geyer
Es. dei. Verdict. Severally not guilty as to John
Holmes and Daniel Harris.

Es. dei. Same Jury, by consent of John South & Atty Gen?

Es. dei. Verdict. John South guilty.

13. June 1807. Judgment that John South ^{to this Commonwealth} forfeit all and
singular his lands and tenements goods and chattels of
which he was seized and possessed at the time of the
crime being committed or at any time afterward and
before conviction that he undergo a servitude in
the public jail of the City of Philadelphia for the
term of two years from this date and during that
time be confined, kept at hard labour, fed clothed
and treated as the law direct, pay the costs of
prosecution and be committed until this judg-
ment is complied with.

Commonwealth vs Leonard Chew	} Burglary and Larceny True Bill Def. being arraigned pleads non cul et de an Attorney Gen? similiter idio den.
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Wit.
Pha? Brown. s. 10 June 1807. Jury. Samuel Hergesheimer
Ann Brown. s.
Hugh Kelly. s. John Livezey, John Beck, Jacob Edenborn

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Philip Garret, Walter Lyle, Thomas Brown, William G. Govett, Frederick Holtzbecker, Jacob Smith, John F. Gebler and Isaac Wikoff.

Co. di. Verdict Guilty.

13 June 1807. Judgment, that Leonard Chew forfeit, ^{to this Commonwealth} all and singular his lands and tenements, goods and chattels, of which he was seized and possessed at the time of the crime being committed or at any time afterwards and before conviction, that he undergo a servitude in the public jail of the City of Philadelphia for the term of two years from this date and during that time be confined, kept at hard labour, fed, clothed and treated as the law directs, pay the costs of prosecution and be committed until this Judgment is complied with.

Commonwealth
6 ^{vs}
Casar Brown and
Stephen Taylor

Burglary and Larceny

Same
^{vs}
Robert Swan and
Jane Henry

Misdemeanour, in receiving
goods knowing them to have
been burglariously stolen.

True Bill.

Casar Brown, Stephen Taylor and Jane Henry being arraigned plead non est et de hoc po. se sup. rat.

Attorney General semiliter idem &c.

Prisoners waive their challenge. 10 June 1807. Jury.

John R. Mc Mullen, Thomas Brown, Berj. Mc Randles, Jacob Smith, John Geyer, Frederick Holtzbecker, John Livezey, Isaac Wikoff, Samuel Hergesheimer, William G. Govett, Thomas Flutton, James Barclay,

Co. di. Verdict. C. Brown and Stephen Taylor, severally guilty, Jane Henry, guilty of receiving the goods knowing them to have been stolen.

12 June 1807. Nolle Pro. ordered by the Attorney General on payment of costs, as to Robert Swan. Costs paid.

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13 June 1807. Judgment, that Casar Brown and Stephen Taylor both and each of them forfeit to this Commonwealth all and singular their lands and tenements, goods and chattels of which they were seized at the time of the crime being committed or at any time afterwards and before conviction that they undergo a servitude in the public jail of the City of Philadelphia for the term of three years from this date and during that time be confined kept at hard labour, fed, clothed and treated as the law directs, pay the costs of prosecution and be committed until this sentence is complied with. That Jane Henry pay a fine of six cents to the Commonwealth be imprisoned in the public jail of the City of Philadelphia for the term of three ^{Calendar} months to commence from and after the expiration of the three months which she has already been sentenced to undergo and during that time be confined kept at hard labour fed clothed and treated as the law directs, pay the costs and be committed until this Judgment is complied with.

Commonwealth } Burglary True Bill.
 T²¹ } Def^t being arraigned pleads non cul
 Littleton Justice } et de hoc po se sup. pat.
 Attorney General similiter idio dnm

Witness
 John Hart. s. Jury. Jacob Smith, John Geyer, William
 Sam^l Smith, s. Smith, Walter Lyle, Jacob Edenborn, Isaac
 Rich Allen. af. Wikoff, Philip Garrett, John R. Mc-Mullen
 Ans Bedford. s. Wm G. Gouett, John F. Gebler, John Beck
 Wm Liddle. s. and Samuel Hergesheimer,
 Petty Carpenter s.
 Charlotte White. s.
 Nancy Butcher. s.
 Stephen Locum s.

10 June 1807. Verdict. Guilty.

13 June 1807. Judgment, that Littleton Justice forfeit to the Commonwealth all and singular his lands

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and tenements goods and chattels, of which he was seized at the time of the crime being committed or at any time afterwards and before conviction that he undergo a servitude in the public jail of the City of Philadelphia for the term of one year from this date and during that time be confined, kept at hard labour, fed, clothed and treated as the law directs pay the Costs of prosecution and stand committed until this Judgment is in all things complied with.

Commonwealth } Burglary and Larceny.
vs } True Bill.
Henry Trazier }

Def^t being arraigned pleads non cul et de hoc poⁿ sup^{ra}at
Attorney General similiter ides &c.

Jury. John Beck, James Barclay, Benjⁿ McDaniel,
Thomas Brown, John R Mc Mullen, John Geyer,
Jacob Smith, John F Gebler, Frederick Holtzbecker,
Samuel Hergesheimer, Isaac Wikoff, and John
Livizey,

10 June 1807. Verdict Guilty. 13 June 1807. Judgment,
that Defendant forfeit to the Commonwealth all and sin-
gular his lands and tenements, goods and chattels of
which he was seized at the time of the crime being com-
mitted or at any time afterwards and before conviction
that he undergo a servitude in the public jail of the City
of Philadelphia for the term of three years from this
day and during that time be confined, kept at hard
labour, fed clothed and treated as the law directs, pay the
Costs of prosecution and be committed until this sen-
tence is complied with.

Witnesses

John Mearns. s
Wm Robinson. s

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Commonwealth
9th } Burglary and Larceny.
Pompey Jackson
Stephen Taylor
Philip Sharp

Same
9th } Misdemeanour, receiving the property
Jane Henry } knowing it to have been Burglar-
iously stolen. True Bill.

9 June 1807. Pompey Jackson and Stephen Taylor being
arraigned plead Guilty,
Philip Sharp and Jane Henry being arraigned plead
non cul et de hinc pro se sup. Pat.
Attorney General seni Sen.

Witnesses	Jury.
Joseph Bunell. S.	Thomas Brown, Frederick Holtzbecker
John Hart. S.	William Smith, John R. Mc Mullen
Step. S. Walker. S.	Wm. G. Govett, Jacob Smith
Geo. W. Masters. S.	John Geyer, Thomas Hutton
	Benj. Mc Randles, Jacob Edenborn
	Walter Lyle, John Livezey Junr.

9 June 1807. Verdict, Philip Sharp not Guilty, Jane Henry
Guilty.

13. June 1807. Judgment, that Pompey Jackson and Stephen
Taylor both and each of them forfeit to the Commonwealth
all and singular their lands and tenements goods and
chattels of which they were seized at the time of the crime
being committed or at any time afterwards and before convic-
tion they undergo a servitude in the public jail of the City of
Philadelphia for the term of two years, Pompey Jackson's
servitude to commence this day, Stephen Taylor's servitude
to commence on the thirteenth day of June in the year one
thousand eight hundred and ten from and after
the expiration of three years from this day to which
servitude he has already been sentenced to undergo,
that during that time they be confined, kept at hard
labour, fed, clothed and treated as the law directs, pay the
costs of prosecution and stand committed until this
Judgment is complied with.

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13. June 1807. Judgment, that Jane Henry forfeit and pay to this Commonwealth the sum of six cents, that she undergo a servitude at hard labour for the term of three calendar months in the public jail of the City of Philadelphia and during that time be confined, fed, clothed and treated as the law directs pay the costs of prosecution and be committed until this sentence is complied with.

Commonwealth 10 vs Hugh Anderson	}	Forgery. True Bill. Def. being arraigned pleads non cul et de hoc po se sup. pat.
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Witnesses

Sam. M. Fox, a. Geo. M. Masten, S.
Hugh Lindsay, S. Robt. Anderson S.
Cha. Breese, S. Ann Logue, S.
Geo. Shedd J. S. Tho. M. Reynolds, S.
Lewis Foguet, S. Hugh Mc Ginnis, S.
Pearson Hunt, S. Hugh Maxwell S.

Attorney General similiter deo vice

Jury. Benj. M. Randles, John F.
Gibler, Philip Garrett, William
Smith, John R. Mc Mullin
John Beck, Walter Lyle, William
G. Govett, Jacob Edmerson and
Thomas Futton, Isaac Wikoff
and Jacob Smith.

11. June 1807. Verdict. Not guilty.

Commonwealth 11 vs Hugh Anderson and Margaret Anderson	}	Forgery. True Bill against Hugh Anderson. Ignoramus as to Margaret Anderson.
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Hugh Anderson being arraigned pleads non cul et de hoc
po se sup pat. Attorney Gen. similiter deo vice.

Same Jury as above (No. 10). Com. for same Def.

11. June 1807. Verdict. Guilty.

13 June 1807. Judgment that Hugh Anderson forfeit
and pay to the Commonwealth the sum of Fifty
dollars that he undergo a servitude of Five years from this day
in the Public Jail of the City and County of Philadel-
phid be confined and clothed as the law directs one
twelfth part of which time he is to be kept in the

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Penitentiary solitary cells the residue of the said term of five years he is to be kept at hard labour; pay the costs of prosecution and be committed until this Judgment is in all things complied with.

Commonwealth	}	Burglary & Larceny
^{vs} Caleb Jackson		13 June 1807. Def't to be discharged.